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Hardin Co. crash claims 2nd victim

By Miranda Cantrell James

A Hardin County automobile accident that killed local horseman Tommy Vest, 29, of Murphy Fork, on Sunday, Aug. 30, has now claimed his mother, who was a passenger in the vehicle.

Brenda Jo Vest, 62, of Murphy Fork, died at the University of Louisville Hospital on Sunday, Sept. 7, from head and spinal cord injuries sustained in the accident that occurred on the Bluegrass Parkway near Elizabethtown.

Tom Vest, father of Tommy Vest and husband of Brenda Vest, was also a passenger in the vehicle. He was released from the University of Louisville Hospital over the weekend with vertebrae injuries.

Authorities said the Vests were traveling east in a Dodge crew cab pickup truck when driver Tommy Vest lost control of the vehicle, crossed the center line and collided with a guardrail.

State Vehicle Enforcement officials said that Tommy Vest may have fallen asleep prior to the crash, though a family member told *The Courier* last week that he may have had a heart attack as a result of a lifelong heart condition.

The family was traveling back home from the 70th Annual Tennessee Walking Horse National Celebration in Shelbyville, Tenn., an event they attended

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Upper Pleasant Run youth dies in ATV accident

By Miranda Cantrell J ames

County emergency services agencies responded to an ATV accident that fatally injured a local youth on Sunday, Sept. 7, in northern Morgan County.

Hwy. 519 Fire Chief Drexel Patrick, who was among the first responders, said Austin Coffee, 9, of Upper Pleasant Run Road, was likely spinning gravel while operating the ATV in a lot at his family's residence when the vehicle flipped over on him.

Patrick noted that he performed CPR after other youths at the scene discovered Coffee and rolled the ATV from the victim's body.

"Coffee did not respond to rescue efforts," Patrick said. "He appeared to have internal injuries. The kids at the scene said

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From left are Kentucky Federation of Woman's Club President Elect Mary Alice Oldfield, Steven Tirone, art professor at Morehead State University, with model of proposed statue; Cody Prater of Citizen's Bank, representing the Kiwanis Club and Magoffin Granite Company, with a sample brick to be used in walkway; Tom Standafer of Standafer Builders, and Emily Elam, Morgan County Woman's Club Veterans Committee chairwoman.

Statue planned at Kiwanis Park to honor Morgan service women

Memorial bricks are planned for walkway; MSU sculptor signs on

Thanks to the community, the Morgan County Woman's Club will be able to produce a noteworthy project. During the annual 'brainstorming' meeting of the executive officers, it was decided to try placing a military female statue in the Kiwanis Park. An artist was interviewed for design, composition, and price. Other civic groups quickly came on board, and the idea was presented to the West Liberty Kiwanis Club with all voting yes to donate of land use. A member of the Kiwanis Club had a contact with an engraver in a neighboring county for memorial bricks. Then the contractor was solicited for 'in-kind' work placing the bricks.

An on-site meeting with Kiwanians resulted in plans for next year. Once the artist and the contractor exchanged 'semper fi' handshakes, all systems were go. Statue models were placed on the ground for pictures, the lot was stepped off for estimated measurements, and the amount of bricks was calculated for a number of walkways.

The Morehead State University Professor of Art, Steven Tirone, has agreed to produce three life size bronze statues depicting past, present, and future women in the military. Mr. Tirone, a Marine Corp veteran, produced a Marine statue for his hometown, New York City. His website is fieldofart.com . His work can also be seen in front of Ginger Hall on the MSU campus and in our own Morgan County High School. His work is being completed for minimal charge. A clay model of the proposed statue may be seen during the Sorghum Festival at the Morgan County Woman's Club ham –n-biscuit booth.

Tom Standafer of Standafer Builders of West Liberty has agreed to lend in-kind work—placing the brick walkways. Referring to the above-mentioned Marine statue, he vowed that, "We aren't going to be outdone by New York City."

The memorial bricks are to be purchased from the Magoffin Granite Company. These will be paver bricks with a possible three lines of information of name of veteran, years in service, or dates of service, or branch of service. Only one veteran's name is to be on the brick, but they may be out-of-state veterans, living or deceased. Forms for brick purchases, and an example, will also be available at the booth. The cost of each brick will be $25.00.

P The projected date for unveiling of the statue is Veteran's Day in 2009.

Cane maze to open this weekend

Holbrook Brothers Cane Maze will open this weekend. Located on U.S. 460 West near West Liberty Veterinary Clinic, the maze will be open on weekends by appointment. The cane maze is about one-half mile long with rest stops throughout. The cost to enter the maze is $3.00 per person and it may be harder than you think to negotiate it since the cane is now full grown. Anyone interested in trying their luck should call 743-1252 or 743-4281 for appointments.

Festival decoration contest expanded county-wide this yr.

Due to the popularity and friendly rivalries of last year's contest, the Morgan County Extension Council and Sorghum Festival Committee will again offer the Home Lawn and Business Display contest for this year's festival.

One notable change this year will be the recognition of winners from each of the county's five magisterial districts. The two categories will be as follows:

• Home Lawn – Winners and

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Schedule of events is announced for Sorghum Festival

Committee chooses "Years Gone By" as the festival theme

By Linda Oakley

Morgan County is Kentucky's Sorghum capitol! This year's Sorghum Festival will be held Sept. 26-28, in downtown West Liberty. The theme will be "Years Gone By." The following is a schedule of festival events:

Friday, Sept. 26

9 a.m.-8 p.m. – Under the Big Top – Arts, crafts, souvenirs, craft demonstrations, quilting, pottery and broom making.

9 a.m.-8 p.m. – Main Street – Country store, sorghum sales, food booths, Morgan County History and Genealogy Resource, WPA Jail Museum open 10 a.m.-4 p.m., music and talent show (bank parking lot) 10 a.m.-11 p.m.

7 p.m. – Herdman Field – Sorghum Bowl and crowning of Sorghum Queen.

9 a.m.-8 p.m. – Activities at Old Mill Park – Mule-drawn sorghum mill, children's rides, grist mill, craft demonstrations and sales.

Saturday, Sept. 27

9 a.m.-8 p.m. – Activities will be the same as Friday, with music at Old Mill Park.

1 p.m. – Parade – Theme: "Years Gone By."

Sunday, Sept. 28

12-5 p.m. – Arts, crafts, food booths, sorghum, souvenirs and much, much more – plus Old Mill Park activities, gospel music and church on Main Street Food Mart.

Additional Activities

• There will be a Civil War reenactment at the soccer field the week before the festival on Friday-Saturday, Sept. 20-21, performed by members of the Morehead-based Sons of Confederate Veterans Fifth Kentucky Infantry #2122. Read next week's *Courier* for more info.

• Pictures will be taken at the souvenir booth of anyone in old fashion dress all Friday and Saturday morning, Sept. 26 and 27.

• On Saturday, Sept. 27, after the parade, float winners will be announced, as well as the winners of the yard decoration contest.

• There is a new T-shirt design this year, and there will be a sale on all older designs.

The Old Grassy Christian Church.

Old Grassy Christian Ch. celebrates 175th birthday

We live during a time when nothing really seems to last very long, a throw-away society fallen victim to fads and whims. What is here today is likely gone by tomorrow. So when something stays with us for awhile, we learn to appreciate it, indeed celebrate it.

And if you have been a presence in Morgan County for 175 years, you definitely should celebrate!

Founded in 1833, the Old Grassy Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) was largely the result of John "Raccoon" Smith, who traveled to Eastern Kentucky on a preaching ministry. Smith was one of the major leaders in Kentucky of a movement started some years earlier that focused on the teachings of the New Testament. Their creed promoted the "one faith, one God, one baptism, one brotherhood" philosophy, and was one of many Protestant movements during that time period that attempted to distance themselves from the influence of the Anglican (Episcopal) church.

Smith came first to White Oak in 1832, where he helped organize the White Oak Christian Church, moving on to Mize the following year. Disciples of Christ churches were also organized in Salem, Daysboro and Hazel Green. Smith continued with his traveling ministry, reaching thousands through his evangelism, while Old Grassy contin-

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Sorghum recipes from local cooks are highlighted

Ollie McKinney's Soft Molasses Cookies

Ollie McKinney is 99 years young. She made these cookies for her church food booth, and they were always a big hit. She had a booth for 30 years, along with her daughter-in-law, Henrietta, and was always assisted by her son, Harold. The recipe is as follows:

Ingredients: 1 c. brown sugar, 1 c. molasses, 1 c. lard or Crisco, 1 egg, 1 tsp. ginger, 1 tsp. cinnamon, 1/2 c. hot water, 1 tbsp. soda, a pinch of salt, 5 c. flour.

Instructions: Mix sugar and molasses and melt with lard or Crisco, 1 beaten egg, ginger, cinnamon, 1/2 c. hot water, soda and salt. Stir well. Add 5 c. flour. Make soft dough. Roll out and cut with cookie cutter. Bake in oven at 350 degrees. When cookies are cold, frost with favorite frosting. Yields three dozen.

Lorene Trimble's Sorghum Puffs

Ingredients:Combine 4 c. sugar, 1/4 c. white syrup, 3/4 c. sorghum, 1/2 c. water, a pinch of salt.

Instructions: Boil until it spins a thread or to hard ball stage on candy thermometer. Beat 3 egg whites until stiff. Pour boiling hot syrup over egg whites, beating constantly. Beat until stiff like bread dough. Drop with teaspoon on to wax paper. It will drop to make a sorghum puff.

Lorene Trimble's Sorghum Stack Cake

layer ingredients: 3/4 c. brown sugar, 3/4 c. shortening, 2 eggs, 3/4 c. sorghum, 3 1/2 c. flour (sifted), 1 tsp. each of salt, cloves, cinnamon, ginger and nutmeg, 3/4 c. buttermilk, 2 tsp. soda.

layer instructions: Cream together sugar and shortening. Add eggs; beat well. Stir in sorghum, sift flour with spices. Add to creamed mixture alternately with buttermilk into which soda has not been stirred. Use two cast-iron skillets for baking. Grease and sprinkle with flour; lightly warm skillets for baking. Dip two heaping tablespoonfuls of dough,which should be rather stiff (like drop cookie dough), onto center of each skillet. Wet hands in ice cold water and pat dough toward inward sides of the skillet. Make a very thin layer. Bake at 375 degrees for 10 to 15 minutes. Turn out on a dry cloth when browned. Add a bit of oil to the warm skillet and repeat until all dough is used. Makes about 6 to 7 layers.

Filling ingredients: 4 c. dried apples (about 2 pounds), 3 c. water, 2 c. sugar.

Filling instructions: Simmer slowly until tender (many, many, many hours). When almost done, add 1/2 tsp. each of cinnamon, Allspice and cloves, cool. Put about a cup at a time in the blender and blend until smooth. Spread between layers of cake and stack.

EVES students recognized for good attendance

Mrs. Lisa Williams's fifth grade class at East Valley Elementary School is the winner of the school's traveling attendance trophy with 99.51 percent attendance for the first month of school.

Schoolwide attendance for the month was 96 percent, for the dates of Aug. 7-29.

Wednesday, Sept. 10, will be High Attendance Day. Everyone needs to be present on this day to have 100 percent attendance and a chance at winning money for our school.

East Valley Elementary School recognizes the following students for perfect attedance:

Carly Adkins, Garrett Adkins, Kimberly Adkins, Carrigan Bailey, Elizabeth Ball, Kimberly Ball, Macee Ball, Matthew Ball, Chandler Basham, Kristen Beculhimer, Abigaile Blackburn, Gabrielle Blackburn, Stacia Blackburn, Derek Blanton, Wade Blanton, Abigail Bolin, Faith Bolin, Tucker Bolin, Spencer Bolin, Amber Britton, Caleb Brown, Adriana Burks;

Amber Cantrell, Garrett Cantrell, Logan Cantrell, Nathan Cantrell, Robert Cantrell, Ruby Cantrell, Tyler Cantrell, Zackery Cantrell, Shateka Coffey, Cole Dalton, Seth Dalton, Abigail Daniel, Jamie-Lynn Daniel, Johnathan Daniel, Dustin Dillingham, Isabella Eldridge, Chesley Elliston;

Sarah Gibson, Kurt Gilliam, Whitney Gilliam, Cody Hammonds, Ethan Hammons, Weston Hammons, Autumn Harvey, Samantha Helton, Timothy Hemmelgarn, Jacob Holbrook, Maddison Holbrook, Brandon Howard, Dylan Howard, Garrett Howell, Braxton Hunley, Dalton Hunley, Chase Hunley, Lance Hunley, Logan Hunley;

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Virgil and Faye Nipper Ferguson on their wedding day 58 years ago.

Fergusons renew vows after 58 years of marriage

Virgil and Faye Nipper Ferguson, of Bonny, celebrated their 58th wedding anniversary on Saturday, Aug. 23.

Mr. and Mrs. Nipper renewed their marriage vows in a ceremony performed by Bro. Gary Ferguson, at Lost Point Lake Pentecostal Church, in the presence of a large gathering of family and friends.

The Fergusons grandson, Freddie Endicott, and Miss Brittany Conley were also united in marriage in a beautiful ceremony at Lost Point Lake Pentecostal Church on the same day.

Virgil and Faye are the parents of 7 children. They are the grandparents of 24 grandchildren and 25 great grandchildren, all of whom they love very much.

A bountiful dinner was served at the church in honor of both couples--Virgil and Faye, and Freddie and Brittany.

Hats, gloves and bags are still part of our tradition!

The hats are usually not feathered and the gloves aren't always white...they are usually work gloves or disposable gloves; and the hats are sun protectors, hard hats or just for fun hats. The bags may be shopping bags, paper bags, and even flour bags!

This group of ladies, who are members of the GFWC/KFWC Morgan County Woman's Club, are gearing up for a tradition of biscuit and pie making parties in preparation for the annual Morgan County Sorghum Festival. And don't forget the added attraction…cinnamon rolls as a special sweet-tooth treat!

General Federation of Women's Clubs (GFWC) is the world's largest and oldest nonpartisan, nondenominational, women's volunteer service organizations. For 118 years, GFWC continues to focus on and encourages members to initiate and promote projects that affect all areas of women's lives.

GFWC is distinguished form other service organizations by the breadth of its outreach which includes the arts, home life, conservation, education, public and international affairs.

The Morgan County Woman's Club has just celebrated its 68th year as a federated club of GFWC and Kentucky Federation of Women's Clubs.

Women are welcomed to become a member of this international organization and well-established tradition of community service.

Be part of the tradition!

Mary Alice Oldfield

Perfect S.S. attendance

Pastor George Oney and the congregation of New Hope Baptist Church would like to congratulate these Sunday school members on having perfect attendance for the past year. They are, from left, Mikey Stevens, Carolyn Hager, Susan Hager, and Kaye Dulin. The congregation extends an invitation to all to worship with them. The church is located on the Gordon Ford road.

KSP conducting safety checkpoints in the Post 8 area

Capt. Dwayne Depp, commander of the Kentucky State Police at Morehead, recently announced that troopers of the Morehead post will be conducting safety checkpoints this month in addition to moving patrols throughout the post area for the remainder of the year.

This concentrated enforcement effort will utilize members of the Selective Traffic Enforcement Program (STEP) in addition to other troopers assigned to Post 8. Emphasis will focus on enforcing violations of the speeding, seatbelt, child restraint and impaired driving laws as well as other violations of the traffic laws of Kentucky.

The counties within the Post 8 area include Bath, Elliott, Fleming, Lewis, Mason, Menifee, Montgomery, Morgan, Powell, Rowan and Wolfe.

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Miss Lumpkins, Mr. Havens to wed Saturday, Sept. 13

Dustin Scott Havens and Shanda Lynn Lumpkins

Mr. Michael Lumpkins, of Salt Lick, Kentucky, and Mrs. Patricia Winlaw, of Winchester, Virginia, would like to announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Shanda Lynn Lumpkins, to Dustin Scott Havens, son of Mr. Greg Havens and Ms. Jackie Havens, of West Liberty, Ky.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Morgan County High School and is currently attending Morehead State University.

The perspective groom is also a graduate of Morgan County High School and is currently employed with Lumpkins Plumbing.

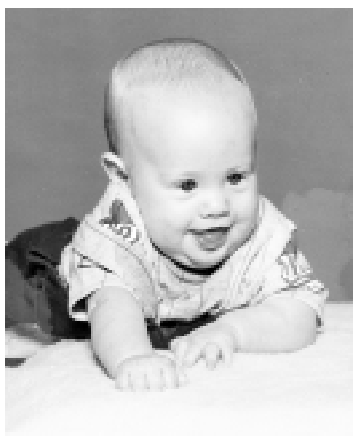
The wedding will take place on Saturday, September 13, 2008, at the Morehead United Methodist Church.

(pd)

WHAT THEN

As you lay your head down on your pillow expecting tomorrow to rise, just suppose there would be no tomorrow. Have you gained the most valuable prize? There are plans for tomorrow now forming, and memories of days which are past. Do your plans include those of must value. The results which most surely will last? Will the memories that linger be precious when things of this earth pass away? Are they memories that build for the future or alas do they fade and decay? Or perhaps they hold joys for the present and those things we thought weren't wrong. But to think of the life that's forever they some how do not seem to belong. Ere you lay your head down on your pillow, oh, stop and consider your state. If tomorrow's sun had no arising are you ready? What then will await?

Happy birthday, Dustin Howard!



God blessed us with an adorable little miracle that weighed 5 lbs. 2 ozs., a baby boy, and now he is 16 years old. A handsome young man that is loving, compassionate and kind. He has blessed our lives greatly, Dustin, may you continue to seek God's will for your life, and may God bless you greatly.

Happy 16th birthday on September 11th. We love you, Dustin Howard!

Mam-Maw & Paw Paw
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GUEST EDITORIALS

An Independent Democrat

His Party Left Joe Lieberman

Genuine independence is a rare virtue in politics, and Joe Lieberman knew what he was risking by speaking for John McCain at the Republican convention on Tuesday. Majority Leader Harry Reid said he was "very disappointed," which means look out. A Barack Obama aide, Robert Gibbs, told MSNBC, "I thought it was just too much to stomach . . . and then get up there in front of the American people and just—no offense, just lie."

We don't recall any untruths, but the idea that the Connecticut Senator is some kind of Brutus is itself false. For all intents and purposes, Democrats are the fellows who excommunicated Mr. Lieberman in 2006—and for the sole reason that as a matter of policy and conscience he refused to recant on Iraq. The antiwar left was in full rage at the time, and Greenwich millionaire Ned Lamont chose to challenge Mr. Lieberman after the Senator dared to write an op-ed in this newspaper (The Wall Street Journal) urging that the U.S. fight to victory.

Mr. Lamont won the primary, and that's fair enough. But rather than side with their former colleague, or at least stay neutral, nearly all of Mr. Lieberman's Senate Democratic friends then turned on him and endorsed Mr. Lamont. The list included Connecticut colleague Chris Dodd, Hillary Clinton, Joe Biden—and Barack Obama.

Mr. Lieberman was a loyal party man in all other areas, and he had been on the national Democratic ticket only six years before. He was purged because he was the rare national Democrat who declined to walk away from a war that he and most of his colleagues had voted for. Like Mr. MCain, Mr. Lieberman understood the consequences for U.S. security if the Lamont Democrats forced a withdrawal from Iraq.

He took that case to the voters as an Independent in November 2006, and to the dismay of the party elders was re- elected. He has remained a pariah among his party, to say nothing of the Internet fever swamps, even though his vote to organize the Senate gave Democrats their one-vote majority. A vindictive man would have voted with the Republicans. Yet, now the talk is that Democrats may strip Mr. Lieberman of his committee chairmanship if they add to their Senate majority next year.

In endorsing Mr. McCain, Mr. Lieberman was being loyal not merely to a friend but to his own principles

—The Wall Street Journal.

Victory In Anbar

Two years ago, on Sept. 11, 2006, the Washington Post stirred an election-year uproar with this chilling dispatch:

"The chief of intelligence for the Marine Corps in Iraq recently filed an unusual secret report concluding that the prospects for securing that country's western Anbar province are dim and that there is almost nothing the U.S. military can do to improve the political and social situation there."

But there was something we could do: Pursue a different counterinsurgency strategy and commit more troops. And on Monday, U.S. forces formally handed control of a now largely peaceful Anbar to the Iraqi military.

"We are in the last 10 yards of this terrible fight. The goal is very near," said Major-General John Kelly, commander of U.S. forces in Anbar, in a ceremony with U.S., Iraqi and tribal officials. Very few in the America media even noticed this remarkable victory.

Yes, the stunning progress in Anbar owes a great deal to the Awakening Councils of Sunni tribesmen who broke with al Qaea terrorists and allied with U.S. forces. But those Sunni leaders would never have had the confidence to risk their lives in that way without knowing the U.S. was not going to cut and run. The U.S. committed some 4,000 additional troops to Anbar as part of the 2007 "surge," along with thousands more Iraqi troops.

The world has since seen al Qaeda driven even from what the terrorists and many in the Western press had claimed were Sunni enclaves that welcomed terrorist help against the American "occupation." The result has been the most significant military and ideological defeat for al Qaeda since the Taliban was driven from Kabul in 2001. In danger of being humiliated in Iraq in 2006, the U.S. has demonstrated that it has the national will to fight a longer war. The Sunni Arab world in particular has noticed – and is now showing new respect for Iraq's Shiite government.

For Iraqi politics, the Anbar handover is especially meaningful because the Shiite dominated Iraq military will not provide security in a largely Sunni province. Anbar is the 11th of 18 provinces that the coalition has turned over to Iraq control, but first Sunni province. The government of Nouri al-Maliki now has a further chance to show its ability to represent the entire country, the way it did when the Iraqi military routed Shiite militias in Basra and Sadr City in the spring.

For U.S. politics, it is worth recalling that 2006 Washington Post story became part of a Beltway consensus that defeat in Iraq was inevitable. Democrats made withdrawal the center of their campaign to retake Congress, Republicans like Senator John Warner became media darlings Joyhn Warner became media darlings for saying the war couldn't be won, and the James Baker-Lee Hamilton Iraq Study group laid out a bi-partisan road to retreat. According to memos disclosed Sunday in the New York Times, even senior officials at the State Departmnet and Pentagon opposed the surge. President bush, heeding Generals David Petraeus and Ray Odierno as well as John McCain, overruled the defeatists and ordered a renewed U.S. commitment to Iraq.

The Anbar handover is above all a tribute to the hundreds of Americans who have fought and died in places like Fallujah, Ramadi and Hit over these last five years. Over the horizon of history, we tend to recall only the successes in previous wars at such places as Guadalcanal, Peleiu and the Chosin Reservoir. We forget that those wars and battles were also marked by terrible blunders and setbacks, both political and military. What mattered is that our troops, and our country, had the determination to fight an ultimate victory. So it is with the heroes of Anbar.

—The Wall Street Journal

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The Judge's Corner

By Tim Conley

Morgan County Judge/Executive

Hello from Judge Tim Conley and Staff:

Many questions are being asked about Morgan County's $16.2 million downtown Administrative Office of the Courts (AOC) courthouse project, and why we do not use that money to build a jailhouse.

First of all, anytime local governments receive funding for a certain project, that money can only be used for the intended project. For example, we cannot use water funds for roads, blacktop funds for gravel, gravel funds for fire service, etc.

Our current budget calls for a little over $400,000 in jail costs. While it is a drain on the county budget, building and running our own jail would cost twice the amount. Our current jailer, Jimmy Darrell Easterling, and his deputies are doing a great job working with our law judges to keep the jail costs down.

It would probably cost us close to $1 million annually to operate our own jail, which means we would have to take an additional $600,000 out of our general fund every year – which we cannot afford to do.

Remember, your local fiscal court has no control over who is arrested, how long they stay in jail or when their trial is. However, we have to pay 100 percent of the jail bills as required by state law.

This is not right, and we need to be heard at the state level. The County Judges' Association has filed a lawsuit so that the state would pay for inmates who are arrested on state charges.

Let me give you an example of jail inmate costs:

A person from New York could be passing through Morgan County and get arrested on any charge, and Morgan Countians then pay for that person's time in jail until their release or until they are sentenced by the state. Sometimes it is as long as two years before someone is sentenced by the state.

Ninety-nine percent of all arrests made by the Morgan County Sheriff's Department, West Liberty Police Department and Kentucky State Police are on state charges. We, the citizens of Morgan County, should not have to pay for these costs.

If you would like to discuss this subject with me, I will be happy to let you know how the system works and what flaws are in it.

You can write to me at Judge Executive Tim Conley, 450 Prestonsburg St., West Liberty, KY 41472, call me at 606-743-3897 or e-mail me at mcfc.tc@gmail.com

2nd Victim ...

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regularly and in which they had participated in previous years.

Brenda Vest retired from the Morgan County school system on May 31, 2006, after 18 years of service as a finance secretary/receptionist at Morgan County Middle School.

Funeral services for Tommy and Brenda Vest will be conducted 7 p.m. tonight, at the Morgan County Middle School gymnasium, with the Rev. Garrie Stamper officiating. Visitation will be 4:30-7 p.m. today, at the school.

Memorials are suggested to the Tommy Vest Memorial Fund, C/O Bank of the Mountains, P.O. Box 309, West Liberty, KY 41472, Attn.: Novella Gullett.

Old Grassy ...

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ued to grow.

Records from the time are scare, but it is believed that the original church building was a log structure located on the hill across from the present site on Hwy. 460. At some point, the building burned and was replaced with a frame structure. It too met the same fate, burning in 1949. The current concrete structure was built in 1950.

Although it remains unclear who was the first pastor, church records indicate that a marriage ceremony was conducted in 1839 by Ramey Maxey. Today, the church is pastored by Bro. Carol Roller, with Charlie Cecil, Sam Long and Frank Oldfield serving as elders.

To mark its 175th birthday, Old Grassy Christian Church will host a fish fry 5 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 20. On Sunday, Sept. 21, a special service will be held at 11 a.m., followed by a fellowship lunch. The congregation invites everyone to join in the celebration and share the joy as the church embarks on its next 175 years!

ATV Wreck ...

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one of the ATV's cargo racks came to rest on his head."

Patrick also said that he did not see a safety helmet at the scene.

A medical helicopter was dispatched to the scene, though crew members did not load Coffee onto the aircraft. He was transported via ambulance to Morgan County ARH, where he was pronounced dead.

The Morgan County Rescue Squad also responded to the accident.

Austin Coffee was the son of Clifton Coffee and Crystal Coffee Romans. He was a fourth grader at West Liberty Elementary School and attended Wells Union Church.

Funeral services were conducted 11 a.m. Wednesday, Sept. 10, at Herald & Stewart & Halsey Funeral Chapel, with Bros. Jimmy Conley and Jimmy Tharp officiating.

Education is what survives when what has been learned has been forgotten. —B.F. Skinner

Fate of cats trapped by city learned

By Miranda Cantrell James

Local veterinarian Dr. Bill Holbrook said cats that city officials had removed from the Trimble Street alley behind City Hall last month were delivered into his personal care after questions were raised last week about their whereabouts.

A City Hall employee said in an Aug. 21 *Courier* story that the stray cats – which had inhabited the alley for several years – were to be trapped and transported to West Liberty Veterinary Clinic (WLVC) at Index, where they would be available for public adoption.

An anonymous caller contacted *The Courier* last Thursday and divulged that a WLVC representative said the veterinary practice had not taken in any of the estimated 20-25 cats and their offspring.

Dr. Holbrook, who visited with *Courier* staff members last Friday afternoon, explained that he is currently rehabilitating the younger cats without the clinic's assistance and that the animals will be available for adoption. Most would make good "barn cats," he said.

"The cats were caught in live traps and brought to me," Dr. Holbrook said. "I am neutering and vaccinating them. When they are ready, they will be available for adoption by anyone who might need a cat for their barn to catch mice and other vermin."

Dr. Holbrook noted that he euthanized some of the cats because they were too wild to tame and some suffered from feline leukemia.

"Some of the cats were very sick," Dr. Holbrook said. "Feline leukemia works in cats the way AIDS does in humans. It destroys the immune system and leads to a slow and agonizing death. The sick cats were euthanized with humane euthanasia fluids."

The veterinarian said the seizure of the cats could have also prevented a large-scale rabies outbreak.

The cats were trapped in the alley under an animal control ordinance passed on May 27 prohibiting dogs and cats from running at large in public streets, alleys, highways or on the property of anyone other than the animals' owners without rabies vaccination tags.

MOTHER

Who ran to help me when I fell and would some pretty story tell, or kiss the part to make it well? —My Mother.

—Jane Taylor

Decorations ...

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runners-up for each of the five magisterial districts will be recognized. An overall county winner will be selected from district winners.

• Businesses/Schools (city and countywide) – Winners from each magisterial district will be recognized with an overall county winner selected from district winners.

Winners will be selected based on the display that best represents the theme of "Years Gone By." Winners will be announced on Main Street on Saturday following the parade.

To register, call West Liberty City Hall at 743-3330 by Friday, Sept. 19. Judging will be done on Wednesday, Sept. 24.

Prizes for home lawn winners will be:

• County Winner – $100 and gift basket.

• District Winners – $50.

• District Runner-ups – Sorghum souvenir.

Prizes for businesses will be:

• County Winner – $100 and certificate.

• District Winners – Certificate and souvenir.

Photos of all entries will be displayed on Main Street for everyone to see.

CLARIFICATION

It had not been officially determined at press time if David Zachary Gevedon, who died as the result of injuries suffered when he was struck by a car Aug. 24, while walking on Ky. 1715, walked into the path of the vehicle, as was reported in last week's paper. Also, Gevedon was airlifted to St. Mary's Hospital in Huntington, not Cabell-Huntington Hospital. —Editor

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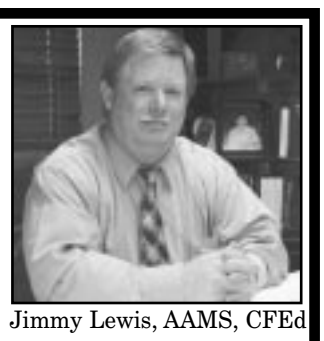

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HISTORICAL SKETCHES
by Joe Nickell

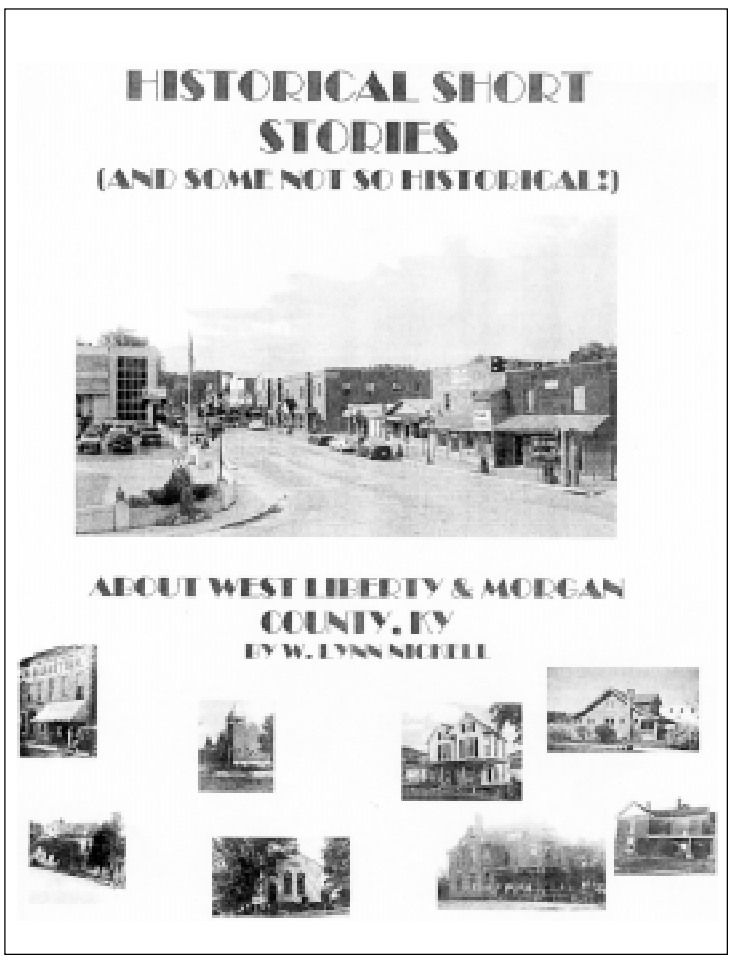
HISTORICAL NARRATIVES. Lynn Nickell continues to preserve Morgan County history through his many books, by which he also teaches and inspires us. His latest is *Historical Short Stories (And Some Not So Historical!)*.

Among the 44 chapters are "Cannel City Dye Industry," "Searching for Knowlesburg," and "Morgan County Poor House," in which Lynn preserves aspects of local history that bordered on extinction.

One of the most striking stories is "Body Trapped in a Cave for 41 Years." That gruesome account also relates a story about the victim's great-grandfather, Drexel Moore (who had married Hattie Cole, daughter of hotelier James Cole). He was a salesman who left home one morning with $200 in his pocket and "was never heard from again."

Another story, "Demise of the Great Rubber Gun Battle," describes how children of the 1930s and 1940s made play-war on rival "armies." The toy of choice was a wooden gun with a clothespin trigger; it fired rubber bands made by cutting sections of Model-A Ford inner tube. Lynn has captured this nostalgic bit of childhood in which, "At the end of the day, the soldiers trudged homeward, eager for a meal of soup beans and cornbread," whereupon, after a night's rest, they were "ready for another day of battle."

"School Dedication" relates not only how Morgan County was visited by "one of the most recognizable persons in the world," Eleanor Roosevelt (who drove herself by car to dedicate the new high school), but it also tells of the behind-the-scenes role played by Opsie Evans, who was a cook at the Cole Hotel, and there served the First Lady country ham, sweet potatoes and other dishes, along with cornbread.



Lynn Nickell's latest book is antoher treasure trove.

In "Sunday Afternoon Baseball," Lynn brings to life the games held at West Liberty and Mize during World War II – an endeavor made more difficult by gasoline shortages that limited players' travel. He quotes from *The Licking Valley Courier* of Oct. 12, 1944, how Wendell Nickell, my father, "was on the mound for West Liberty and struck out 13 men and allowed four hits."

Perhaps there is a story involving one or more of your family members – or even *you*. (I'm there in an occasional cameo appearance, most notably as a youthful painter of the roadside and window signs for Freezer Fresh Dairy.)

This new book is Lynn's 17th, and, in a letter to me, he says it may be his last. However, I have heard this before, and, as he goes on to tell me, "You got me hooked on writing books!"

I'm looking forward to more. Lynn is not only writing history, but making it as well.

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Lenox

By Estelle Caskey

Sept. 8 — Our deepest sympathy is extended to the families of Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Ferguson, who recently lost their son, and to all others who have lost loved ones.

My brother, William "Bill" A. Davis Jr., his two sons, Terry and Kenny, and his two grandsons, Cody and Josh, were called to work last week to the Lafayette and New Orleans, La., areas to restore the electrical power to the residents.

Teresa Elam, of Indiana, spent last weekend here visiting with her father, Terry Elam.

Reportedly, Mrs. Mazie Cassity is feeling well this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Shawn Vance, of Lexington, were visting friends and family members in the West Liberty area last weekend including Mrs. Ruby Elam and Mr. and Mrs. Joey Bates and Jessie.

Mrs. Mozelle Cassidy celebrated her 75th birthday last Sunday with her husband and her many family members and friends.

Mrs. Shirley Sexton, of Ezel, visited last Sunday afternoon with Estelle and Louise Caskey.

Mrs. Bernice Johnson and daughter Patty Shoop, of Dayton, Ohio, spent the past weekend here visitng with Mrs. Julia Johnson. Mrs. Imojean McGuire, of Winchester, who has been visitng her sister, Julia, returned to Ohio with Bernice and Patty for a visit.

Household Hints

• To loosen a tight-rusty screw, dab a little white vinegar on it.

• To clean chrome, spray with spritz and club soda, then shine with a soft, dry cloth.

• A cooked good-sized potato can be used for many dishes. Chop it up for soup, dice it and put in an apple salad and/or chop it up with onions mixed with salad dressing for a sandwich.

• To remove stains or mildew from shower curtains, wipe with a cloth soaked in white vinegar, then machine wash in warm ater with 1/2 cup detergent and air dry on an outside line.

• Mix leftover coleslaw with tuna fish salad and lettuce for sandwiches.

• To remove stains on aluminum pots, boil 1/2 teaspoon of cream of tartar mixed with a quart of water in the pot.

• Delicate items of clothing last longer if they are washed in small amounts of shampoo or dishwashing liquid.

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New Telecommunicator

Aaron Barker, 18, of Ezel became West Liberty Police Department's newest Telecommunicator on August 25. He is the son of Roggie and Mary Barker of Highway 882, Ezel. Mr. Barker graduated with honors from the Morgan County High School in May 2008. While attending MCHS he was an active 4-H member and represented Morgan County for four years at the World Trapshooting Championships.

ON THE LIGHTER SIDE

If you get hung up on everybody else's hang-ups, then the whole world's going to be nothing more than one huge gallows.

– Richard Brautigan
Writer and poet

Bonny

By Faye Ferguson

Sept. 4--Hi everyone.

Hop everyone is well and happy and has had a good summer. We sure have had a hot and dry summer.

We visited my sister, Marie, in Ohio, real often because she is sick. We want to say to her "hope you are feeling better".

Virgil got a bad burn on his left leg and is going to see his doctor often. Home Health has been seeing him and dressing his leg. Thank God its better.

I've also had a lot of trouble with my leg since I broke it. I'm on bone medicine now. My bones have gotten soft.

Bless all the sick everywhere. Hope everyone is better. You have my prayers. God is so good to us we should thank him every day we get up for another day.

Virgil was baptized this summer. It made me feel so happy in the Lord. I prayed for that for years. God will answer at His time. We have a happy home. We were married 58 years on August 23. Gary Ferguson renewed our vows at his church. He did a good job. Thanks, Gary, you are going a great work up there and have a beautiful church. I got to see lots of my friends and kinfolk up there. We had a good day together. Hope God will let us see more years together.

I got to see Joyce Adkins at church at Lee City Sunday night. Had a good service where Rickie Simpson is pastor. We love his preaching. God is blessing.

Virgil's brother, Charlie Ferguson, in Ohio, is real sick. Our sister-in-law, Mildred and Bill Ferguson, keeps us in touch with him. They called and said he was real sick. We hope God touches him.

May God bless everyone. We love you all. Remember God loves you, too.

Junction News

By Kathy Bolin

Sept. 8--Greetings from the Junction.

As I wrote in my last article, Brenda Jenkins is back at home on Coffee's Creek. She got a good report last week from doctors. She is healing good and at this time she is not looking at back surgery. A cheerful card, visit, or call sure would brighten up these long days.

On Saturday I attended a baby shower given for Kristen Pennington Wheeler, of Lower Sand Lick. Their son, Brody, has not arrived but when he does he will be dressed in the funest of clothes. Brody received a "Jeep" baby walker. Now what do you think about that? Janice Holbrook and myself were two of the baby game winners. Huh!!!

Condolences to my friend, Norma Smith, whose daughter, Melissa Lawson, of Xenia, Ohio, passed away August 26, 2008. Norma has been Melissa's caretaker for the last year. Blessings to you, Norma.

Another unexpected death was in our neighborhood this week. Anthony Ferguson, twin brother of Angie Ferguson. Sympathy to family and friends.

On Saturday Herbert, Diane, and Chassie made a visit to Ohio. Pearly Switzer, their sister, had a colon operation, and was not doing real well.

Birthday wishes go out to Heather Bailey. She will be "18" this week. Heather is the daughter of Henry "Gooner" Bailey and lives on Coffee's Creek.

That's all for this week, write more later.

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News Of Record

CIRCUIT COURT

New civil cases – George Buckler vs. Sid Allen, Aug. 29; Wallace Hardware Company, Inc. vs. J.L. Wright Equipment, Sept. 2; Robert Riley vs. Debora Garcia, Aug. 3.

DISTRICT COURT

New civil cases – Sandy Valley Financial Services vs. Lisa Brake et al, Aug. 29; Midland Funding LLC vs. Rhonda L. Phillips, Sept. 2; Midland Funding LLC vs. Amanda Havens, Sept. 2; Midland Funding LLC vs. Rosetta Peters, Aug. 2; North Star Capital Acquisitions vs. Tonya Krieger, Aug. 2.

New small claims cases – J.A. Oldfield & Son Inc. vs. Quincy Stegall, Sept. 3; J.A. Oldfield & Son Inc. vs. Brenda Ross, Sept. 3; J.A. Oldfield & Son Inc. vs. Melissa Dunn, Sept. 3; J.A. Oldfield & Son Inc. vs. Brian Lumpkins, Sept. 3; J.A. Oldfield & Son Inc. vs. Freddie Sowards, Sept. 3.

ARRAIGNMENTS

Gerri Beverly – theft by unlawful taking under $300 – pre-trial conference Sept. 16.

Andrea E. Gambino – speeding 5 mph over limit, failure to produce insurance card – failed to appear.

Roger Harding – improper turning, operating on suspended/revoked operator's license, failure to produce insurance card, failure to or improper signal – rescheduled Oct. 28.

Jeffery W. Isaac – drinking an alcoholic beverage in a public place – paid in full.

Johnny E. Keaton – alcohol intoxication in a public place – pled guilty, $25.

Alonzo H. Keeton – official misconduct (first degree) – pre-trial conference Sept. 16.

Justin B. Lovely – speeding 21 mph over limit – referred to state traffic school.

Lydia Mullins – speeding 10 mph over limit – pled guilty, referred to state traffic school.

David C. Pack – public intoxication of a controlled substance – pled guilty, $25.

Pamela K. Ward – theft by deception including cold checks under $300 – rescheduled Sept. 16.

Anthony R. Wright – operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs – pled guilty, $200, loss of license for 90 days; possession of a controlled substance (third degree, first offense; drug unspecified) – pled guilty, 90 days.

Pre-trial conference – Teresa Caldwell – complicity to trafficking in a controlled substance (third degree, first offense; drug unspecified) – rescheduled Sept. 16.

Preliminary hearing – Eric Jones – theft by unlawful taking (first offense; gasoline), receiving stolen property $300, possession of burglary tools – rescheduled Sept. 9.

Preliminary hearing – Jordan Jones – theft by unlawful taking (first offense; gasoline), receiving stolen property, possessino of burglary tools – rescheduled Sept. 9.

Pre-trial conference – Teresa Minix – theft by unlawful taking under $300 (three counts) – rescheduled Sept. 16.

Pre-trial conference – Melissa F. Burton – possession forged prescription for legend drug (first offense) – jury trial Nov. 12.

Preliminary hearing – Elta F. Caskey – burglary (third degree) – matter bound over to grand jury.

Pre-trial conference – James W. Coley II – operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs – pled guilty, $200, loss of license for 90 days.

Preliminary hearing – Todd J. Doss – promoting contraband – rescheduled Sept. 30.

Pre-trial conference – Arlie Jason Hamilton – wanton endangerment (second degree) – jury trial Nov. 12.

Pre-trial conference – Danny R. Haney – public intoxication of a controlled substance, use/possession of drug paraphernalia (first offense), possession of a controlled substance (third degree, first offense; drug unspecified) – pled guilty, 90 days; controlled substance prescription not in original container – pled guilty, 90 days.

Pre-trial conference – Taylor McKnight – assault (minor injury; fourth degree) – rescheduled Sept. 9.

Pre-trial conference – Preston Moore – assault (fourth degree domestic violence; minor injury) – rescheduled Sept. 16.

Preliminary hearing – Renea J. Ooten – possession of a controlled substance (third degree, first offense; drug unspecified) – pled guilty, 365 days; criminal trespassing – pled guilty, 365 days.

Court trial – Walter Boles – speeding 15 mph over limit – pled guilty, referred to state traffic school.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS

Chiles Hutchinson and Alberta to Lonnie Meeks and Vickie, 3.446 acres on Ky. 1010, $2,000.

Zelda Collin Delong to Sharon Fannin, 15 acres, more or less, on Henry Branch of Big Caney Creek, love and affection.

Darrell Robbins Jr. and Sherry to Jessie Dall Wright and Ann Rose, land located on the waters of Lower Sand Lick Creek of Open Fork of Paint Creek, love and affection.

Ernie Vance and Amanda Lynn Vance to James Blake Elam, 1/2 acre, more or less, in the village of Caney Creek, $1, plus love and affection.

Laura Marie Chaney to Thomas G. Lewis and Tana L., Parcel #3 of Marie Chaney division on Malone-Jones Creek Road, $15,000.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Randy Williams, Morgan County Court Clerk, has issued the following marriage licenses.

Maryann Holbrook, 34, of West Liberty, daughter of Brenda Mae Sargent Holbrook and Vernon, to Christopher Joe Smith, 29, of West Liberty, son of Sandra Gay Adkins Smith and Joseph Plaze Smith.

Mary Elizabeth Long, 28, of West Liberty, daughter of Bonnie Faye Caudill Smith and Ray Douglas Trusty to David Bates, 31, of Campton, son of Rosetta Brewer Bates and Earl.

LeAnn Price, 26, of West Liberty, daughter of Leah Wanda Preston Price and Ricky to Jason Dean Sargent, 27, of West Liberty, son of Devonne Carter Sargent and Elmond Sargent.

Pelfrey attends 2008 Circuit Court Clerks Summer College

FRANKFORT, Ky., Sept. 8--Donna Pelfrey, Circuit Court Clerk for Morgan County, participated in the 2008 Circuit Court Clerks Summer College hosted June 18-20 in Lexington by the Administrative Office of the Courts. Circuit Court Clerks have offices in all 120 Kentucky counties and are responsible for managing the records of circuit and district courts.

Participants were given an update on how legislation passed by the 2008 General Assembly will affect the Offices of Circuit Court Clerk. They also learned how automation and new court technology can streamline the way circuit court clerks conduct business.

The circuit clerks also elected Amderson County Circuit Court Clerk Jan Rogers to serve as president of the Kentucky Association of Circuit Court Clerks. Her term as KACCC president is July 1, 2008, through June 30, 2009. Rogers succeeds Nelson County Circuit Court Clerk Diane Thompson.

"It's critical for circuit court clerks to be aware of new legislation so we can stay current in our procedures," said Rogers. "In addition, we want to learn how advances in technology can help us better serve our customers."

The college also offered sessions on strategic planning, how to troubleshoot problems with bookkeeping and personnel, and how to prepare court records for appeals. Representatives from Trust For Life gave a presentation on the ongoing charitable campaign sponsored by the KACCC to promote organ donation throughout Kentucky.

The AOC supports the activities of 4,000 Kentucky Court of Justice employees, including the elected justices, judges and circuit court clerks. The AOC Department of Judicial Branch Education provides regular training colleges for circuit court clerks.

Board members, from left to right, first row: Lillie Baker, Irene Jenkins, Joyce Pennington, Debbie Skaggs, Brenda Jones, Volunteer Director. Second row, left to right, Bettty Morton, Ken Kelley, Larry Beeman, and Shawn Harley.

The Mid-East Ky. Chapter of the American Red Cross

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Your local chapter of the American Red Cross, Mid-East Kentucky, held its regular board meeting on August 28, 2008 at the Morgan County Community Center and discussed, planned, and review its strategies for service implementation and financial development.

The chapter jurisdiction includes the counties of Morgan, Menifee, Bath, Rowan, Fleming, Elliott, Montgomery, Perry, Breathitt and Wolfe. It is responsible for providing services to over 154,000 citizens!

From July 2007 to July 2008, the chapter responded to 121 fires, serviced 126 families, provided support and communication to 87 military related cases.

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Chapter contact information:
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Board members representing counties: Irene Jenkins, Joyce Pennington, and Debbie Skaggs, Morgan County.

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Alan Banks, Wolfe County.

Tiffany Gross, Junior Red Cross.

Ashley Wilder, Junior Red Cross.

WHAT THEN

As you lay your head down on your pillow expecting tomorrow to rise, just suppose there would be no tomorrow. Have you gained the most valuable prize? There are plans for tomorrow now forming, and memories of days which are past. Do your plans include those of must value. The results which most surely will last? Will the memories that linger be precious when things of this earth pass away? Are they memories that build for the future or alas do they fade and decay? Or perhaps they hold joys for the present and those things we thought weren't wrong. But to think of the life that's forever they some how do not seem to belong. Ere you lay your head down on your pillow, oh, stop and consider your state. If tomorrow's sun had no arising are you ready? What then will await?

(Submitted by Alpha Clevenger)

The Sounds From Rockhouse Duo—Paul and JoAnn Hopkins—will be among the entertainers at this year's Sorghum Festival.

Sounds From Rockhouse to perform at Sorghum Fest

The Sounds From Rockhouse duo of Paul and JoAnn Hopkins will be playing and singing bluegrass, gospel and classic country music at this year's Sorghum Festival 2 p.m. Friday, Sept. 26, and 10 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 27.

Paul was born to Ike and Loula Hopkins, at Logville, Morgan County, Ky., on Dec. 23, 1929. He grew up on Rockhouse Creek and attended Trace Fork School through eighth grade. He then completed high school at Mountain Mission School in Grundy, Va.

After high school, Paul joined the U.S. Air Force. His first duty assignment was Vance Air Force Base, in Enid, Okla. While there, he met and married JoAnn Beneditti. Other air force assignments took them to Idaho, Florida and Prestwick Air Force Base, in Scotland, where their second daughter, Lynn was born. In 1955, he decided to leave the Air Force to attend college and seminary at Phillips University, in Enid, Okla.

Upon completion of seminary in 1962, Paul was appointed as a chaplain in the U.S. Army, where he served for the next 17 years. In addition to several stateside assignments, he also served in Korea, Germany and Vietnam. He retired from the U.S. Army in 1979. The couple lived in Enid, Okla., until 2001, when they moved to their present home in Norman, Okla.

Paul and JoAnn have four grown daughters, nine grandchildren and one great-grandson. JoAnn is retired from CPA who taught accounting at Phillips University for 17 years.

Paul has carried a guitar with him since he was nine years old. One of his best boyhood friends, Gene Higgins, who is a great bluegrass banjo player, taught Paul his first three chords on the guitar (G, C and D).

After retiring from the military and having more free time, Paul began playing with various music groups an friends in the Enid area. JoAnn, in self-defense, at age 65, bought a fiddle and is still learning to play it. She does not pretend to be Allison Kraus!

Currently, the couple performs for various churches and groups in Oklahoma and in the Rio Grande Valley, where they are Winter Texans. Paul and JoAnn claim to amateurs and are proud of it!

Paul is the brother of the late Arnel Hopkins (Polly). Several of Paul and JoAnn's nieces and nephews currently live in Morgan and surrounding counties.

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Cases/Investigations Opened

1 Theft by unlawful taking O/300
1 Criminal mischief 3rd degree
1 Falsely reporting an incident
1 Leacing the scene of an accident\

Arrests

1 Public intoxication (excludes alcohol)
1 Driving under the influence
1 Violation of Ky EPO/DVO
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Army National Guard Spec. Jeffery M. Johnson has graduated from basic combat training at Fort Jackson, Columbia, S.C.

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He is the son of Jeffery L. Johnson of Spaws Creek Road, West Liberty, Ky.

Johnson graduated in 1995 from Morgan County High School, West Liberty, and received a bachelor's degree in 2001 from Morehead State University, Ky.

MONDAY DEADLINE FOR NEWS ADS

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Minimum qualifications for this position include a bachelor's degree in social work or related field, a licensed practical nurse with current Kentucky license and three (3) years experience in working w/the elderly. Must demonstrate high-quality communication and organizational skills as well as be proficient in Microsoft Word, Excel and Internet Explorer.

Applicants must submit a letter of introduction, a current resume including salary history, and professional references to Shannon Stull at HYPERLINK "mailto:shannon.stull@ky.gov" shannon.stull@ky.gov or mail them to 110 Lake Park Dr. Morehead, KY 40351 by September 15, 2008. Only applicants meeting all requirements listed will be considered. The Gateway Area Development District is an equal opportunity employer and minorities are encouraged to apply.

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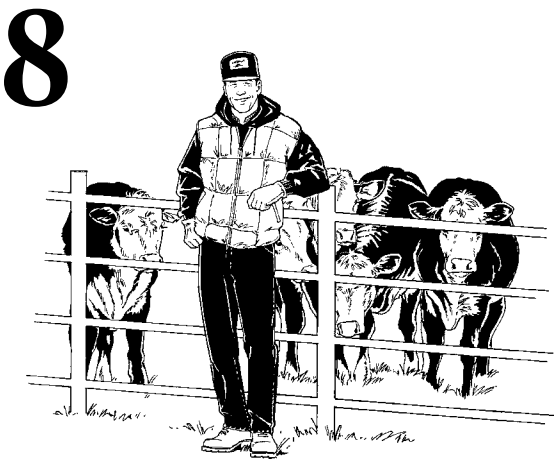

CHURCH DIRECTORY

Williams Creek-Elkfork Community Church, Rt. 3, West Liberty, KY 41472, phone 522-4111 or 522-4591, Rev. Herbert Wright, pastor. Sunday radio service 2:30 pm to 3:30 pm. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Wednesday prayer service 7:00 pm.

Brushy Fork Church, Caney, Ky. Services fourth Saturday at 1:00 pm and fourth Sunday at 10:00 am each month. Hobert Dunn, pastor.

West Liberty Church Of God, 568 Glenn Ave., West Liberty, KY 41472, phone 743-4161. Gary Fields, pastor. Parsonage: 743-2632. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday night 6:00 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm Bible study for all age groups.

Hazel Green Christian Church, P.O. Box 66, Hazel Green, KY 41332. Bro. Lowell Fields, pastor. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am.

Catholic Church of the Good Shepherd, 525 Main St., Campton, KY, Phone 668-3731. Sunday Mass 11:30 am; Wednesday evening 5:30 pm.

Faith Baptist Church, Caney, KY 41402, phone 743-4966, parsonage phone 768-2415. Bro. Mick Harden, pastor. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday disciples group training service 5:00 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday night mission friends, GA's, acteen's RA's, adult Bible study 6:00 pm.

Old Grassy Christian Church, US-460, Mize, KY 41352. Carl Roller, pastor. Sunday morning 11:00 am.

Martha Enterprise Baptist Church, approximately 3 miles up KY-589 off KY-172. Services second weekend each month. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Every Sunday morning 11:00 am. Bro. Roger Ball, pastor.

Redeemed Old Regular Baptist Church, Caney, KY. Elder Roy Collett, pastor. Services third weekend of each month. Saturday 6:30 pm. Sunday 9:30 am.

Wells Chapel Church Of God, Stacy Fork, KY. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday evening 6:00 pm. Rev. Ivan Hinton, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Wells Creek Enterprise Baptist Church, Sunday morning 10:30 am. Every second Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Joe Gilliam, pastor. Ruley Wagoner, assistant pastor.

Union Enterprise Church, Williams Creek, KY. Sunday School 9:30 am to 10:30 am every Sunday morning. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. First Saturday and Sunday each month. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Tivis Ison, pastor, welcomes everyone.

Walnut Grove Community Church, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday evening prayer service 7:00 pm. Scott Litton, pastor. Eddie Keeton, assistant pastor.

Sandy Hook First Baptist Church, phone 738-6320. Sunday School 9:45 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm.

Mize Community Church, 1 mile west of Mize, KY. John Oldfield Jr., pastor, 1176 Hwy. 946, Ezel, KY 41425, phone 606-725-5622. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm.

Old Time Religion Church, 1957 Flat-Mary Rd., Campton, KY 41301. Douglas Dunn, pastor, phone 668-9168.

Daysboro Church Of Christ, Daysboro, KY, phone 743-3906. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday Bible study 6:30 pm.

Watson Enterprise Baptist Church, HC 75, Sandy Hook, KY. Larry Dale Ison, pastor. Mike Gilliam, assistant pastor. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am.

Campton Church Of Christ, Rt. 35, Box 405, Campton, KY 41301, phone 668-6531.

Seventh Day Adventist Church, 1266 East Main Street, Jackson, KY. 10:00 am Saturday worship. 6:00 pm Tuesday Bible study. Phone (606) 295-3512.

Lick Fork Pentecostal Church, Saturday evening 7:30 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Congregation invites all. Everyone welcome.

Rocky Branch Full Gospel Church Of God, 3 miles north of Campton on KY-746. Sunday morning 10:00 am. Tuesday evening 7:00 pm. Denzil Lykins, pastor, phone 668-3643.

Torrent Church Of God, 1432 N KY-11, Zachariah, KY. Sunday School, 10:00 am, Sunday morning, 11:00 am, Sunday evening, 6:30 pm, Wednesday Bible Study, 7:00 pm. Rev.Marvin Hobbs, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Bethany Baptist Church, War Creek, KY. Sunday School 9:45 am. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Every Sunday. Every third Saturday of each month Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Rick Pelfrey, pastor.

Stark United Methodist Church, Sunday morning 9:30 am. Sunday School 10:30 am. Friday youth group 7:00 pm. Friday adult Bible study 7:00 pm. Warren Vanover, pastor.

Ezel United Presbyterian Church, Ezel, KY 41425, phone 725-4215. Sunday morning 10:00 am. All ages welcome.

Cannel City First Church Of God, Cannel City, KY, phone 743-7395. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday evening 6:30 pm. Everyone welcome.

Zag Community Church, located 1 mile off KY-519 on KY- 976. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday Bible study 7:00 pm. Rev. Donald Cox, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Index Community Church, Rt. 1 Box 210, West Liberty, KY 41472 (intersection KY-191 & US-460), phone 743-4733. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday youth hour 6:30 pm. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Wednesday prayer service 7:00 pm. Rev. Mike Frisby, pastor. Eddy Dennison, assistant pastor.

Sandy Hook United Methodist Church, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday Bible study 7:00 pm. Rev. Warren Vanover, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Red River Community Church, Hazel Green, KY 41332, phone 662-6947. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Thursday prayer service 7:00 pm. Rev. Charles Glover, pastor.

Prince Of Peace Catholic Church, US-460, West Liberty, KY. Sunday mass 9:00 am. Father Jerry Dorn, pastor, 581 Glenn Ave., phone 743-4817.

Wells Union Baptist Church, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Tuesday Bible study 6:00 pm. Jimmy Tharp, pastor.

Ophir Enterprise Baptist Church, approximately 10 miles up KY-1260 off KY-172. Services first Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Every third Sunday 11:00 am. Bro. Bobby Fultz, pastor. Bro. Ronnie Wright, assistant pastor. Everyone welcome.

Pleasant Run House Of Prayer, Yocum, KY. Sunday School 10:30 am. Sunday morning 1:00 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Raymond Barker, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Helechawa Community Church, located on KY-191. Thursday evening 6:00 pm. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Everyone welcome to come and worship the Lord.

Sulphur Springs Church, Crockett, KY, KY-172. Third weekend of each month and all odd weekends. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Bro. Chris Baldwin, pastor. Bro. Bob Williams, assistant pastor. Everyone welcome.

Pekin Pentecostal Church, Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday School 10:00 am, morning worship 11:00 am. Pastor Sammy Vancleave, 743-7255 Everyone invited.

West Liberty Christian Church, 304 Prestonsburg St. (corner of Prestonsburg and Court Street), phone (606) 743-4356, parsonage (606) 743-4355. Paul Casteel, minister. Matthew Riley, youth minister. Junior church and wee church 11:00 am. High school and middle school youth group Wednesday evening and Sunday evening 7:00 pm.

Ezel First Church Of God, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Youth group Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Youth church service third Sunday each month 7:00 pm.

Stillwater Holiness Church, 3-1/2 miles north of Campton on KY-191. Thursday evening 7:00 pm. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Patricia Crider, pastor.

Bear Pen Worship Center, Sunday morning 10:45 am. Sunday School 6:30 pm. Wednesday evening 6:30 pm. Wednesday youth meeting 6:30 pm. David Spencer, pastor. Phone 668-3351.

Blaze Community Church, Services Wednesday evening 7:00 pm; Sunday School 5:00 pm; Sunday evening worship 6:00 pm; pastor Vernon Dale Lewis and congregation invite everyone.

Calvary Baptist Church, KY-191, Cannel City, KY. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 5:00 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Harry B. Helton, pastor.

Campton Baptist Church, Sunday School 9:45 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Wednesday prayer service 7:00 pm. Pastor Gary Conner. Parsonage phone: 668-3499

Hazel Green Church Of God, KY-1010 East. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning and children's church 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Charlie Brewer, pastor, wife Wavelene Brewer.

Concord Enterprise Baptist Church, KY-32 eight miles west of Sandy Hook. Every fourth Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Every Sunday, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday prayer meeting 7:00 pm. Rev. Ricky Lewis, pastor.

West Liberty Church Of Christ, Sunday Bible study 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday Bible study for all ages 7:00 pm. Paul Balch, minister. Phone 743-2132.

Campton First Church Of God, Sunday School 9:45 am. Sunday morning 10:45 am. Sunday evening 6:30 pm. Wednesday prayer service 7:00 pm.

Laurel Gorge Enterprise Baptist Church, Youth services Friday 7:00 pm. Every third Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday School 9:45 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday prayer meeting 7:00 pm. Rev. Bill Rice, pastor. Virgil F. Gillum, assistant pastor.

Full Gospel Tabernacle, Top of Slade Hill where Jesus is Alpha and Omega. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Tuesday evening 7:00 pm. Rev. Ralph Banks, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Grassy Lick Baptist Church, Grassy Creek, KY 41352. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:30 pm. Wednesday evening Bible study 7:00 pm. Kenneth Gevedon, pastor. Vernon Stacy, assistant pastor. James Tyra, assistant pastor.

Quillens Church Of God, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Lester Spencer, pastor. Phone 668-6435.

Abundant Life Full Gospel Church, 849 Broadway St., West Liberty, KY. Phone 743-1549. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Thursday evening 7:00 pm. Bro. Donnie Wheeler, pastor.

Murphy Fork Church, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday worship 11:00 am. Sunday night 6:00 pm. Thursday night 7:00 pm.

Haven Of Hope, 364 Prestonsburg Street, West Liberty, KY 41472. Sunday School, 10:00 am. Sunday worship, 6:00 pm.

New Beginnings Church of God, off Hwy 519, Blevins Rd. Phone 606-743-1224. Sunday School 10:00 am, morning worship 11:00 am, Sunday evening 7:00 pm, Thursday 7:00 pm. Pastor Ruford Abner

Callaboose Community Church, Off KY-746 near Campton. Sunday morning 10:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Bro. Burt Combs, pastor.

West Liberty Mennonite Church, located off Circle Dr, Wells Hill. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Direl Fyffe, pastor emeritis. Elder James Fyffe, 743-1567. Elder Steve Stoltzfus, 743-4195.

Faith Hills Mennonite Church, KY-172, Crockett, KY 41413. Sunday morning 9:30 am. Sunday evening second and fourth Sunday each month 7:00 pm, the fourth Sunday being song service. Wednesday prayer service 7:00 pm. Everyone welcome.

West Liberty United Methodist Church, corner of Main and Prestonsburg St. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening Bible study 7:00 pm. Sunday night choir practice, 7:00 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. UMW first Tuesday each month. Rev. Ken Jett, pastor, phone 743-3519.

Trent First Church Of God, Rt. 1, Campton, KY 41301. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:30 pm. Wednesday prayer service 7:00 pm. David Stamper, pastor.

Christian Faith Church Of Freedom, Murphy Fork. Every Saturday evening 6:00 pm. Todd Kidd, pastor.

Woodsbend Community Church, KY-705 North. Phone (606) 743-3580. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Children's church 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday evening family night ministries 7:00 pm.

Assembly Of Faith Church, seven miles north of West Liberty on KY-519. Sunday morning Bible classes, 10:00 am. Sunday morning worship, 11:00 am. Power House kids church, 11:00 am. Sunday evening worship service, 6:00 pm. Ladies meeting, first Monday each month, 7:00 pm. Wednesday worship choir practice, 6:30 pm. Thursday worship service, 7:00 pm. Young adult service, 20, 30, 40 year olds, last Friday each month, 7:00 pm. Harold Davis, pastor. Phone 743-4555.

Campton United Methodist Church, phone 668-3229. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 10:55 am. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm choir 7:45 pm. Rev. James Doughton, pastor.

Isonville Primitive Baptist Church, Isonville, KY. Phone 738-5816. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Christopher K. Harper, pastor. Everyone welcome.

West Liberty First Baptist Church, Sunday School 9:45 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Children's church 11:00 am nursery provided. Sunday evening youth group 6:00 pm. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Wednesday prayer meeting 7:00 pm. David Cook, pastor. Phone 743-3722.

Bigwoods Community Church, HC 75, Wellington, KY. 40387. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday Bible hour 7:00 pm. Phone 768-3456. Rev. Jess Brewer, pastor.

New Salem Church, Moon, KY. 1/4 mile off KY-172 on KY-1715. Every third Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Weekly Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Bro. James Wallin, pastor. Bro. Kevin Williams, assistant pastor. Everyone welcome.

Lick Branch Enterprise Baptist Church, two miles off US-460 up Old KY-172. Every fourth weekend of each month. Saturday night business 6:30 pm. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Every Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Bro. Joe O. Jenkins, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Neal Howards Creek Community Church, Tuesday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Every third Thursday ladies and men's meeting 7:00 pm. Dean Lewis, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Newcombe Valley First Enterprise Baptist Church, Isonville, KY. First Saturday each month 7:00 pm. Weekly Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 10:45 am. Ladies Bible study/prayer group Wednesday 1:00 pm. Mike Adkins, pastor. Darrell O'Hare, assistant pastor.

Tar Ridge Church Of God, Wolfe County. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 10:45 am. Sunday evening 6:30 pm. Wednesday prayer service 7:00 pm. Bro. Adam Hays, pastor.

New Hope Baptist Church, Gordon Ford. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:30 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Bro. George Oney, pastor.

Church Of Free Worship, Thursday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday School 11:00 am. Sunday morning 12:00 noon. Stanley Rigsby, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Old 519 Full Gospel Church, Saturday evening 6:00 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm.

Tom's Branch Community Church, KY-772, West Liberty, KY. Sunday morning 11:00 am; Sunday evening Bible Study 7:00 pm; Thursday evening service 7:00 pm; every third Saturday evening fellowship dinner 5:00 pm and church service at 7:00 pm. Everyone welcome. Pastor Jeff Montgomery, Assistant Pastor Woody Bowman.

White Oak Christian Church Disciples Of Christ, White Oak, KY 41474, phone 743-4127. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am.

Ezel Church Of God, Ezel, KY 41425, phone 725-5721.

Lee City First Church Of God, Lee City, KY, phone 662-6221. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Rev. Stanley Burnett, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Centerville Community Church, Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Harry Flannery, pastor.

Vortex Pentecostal Church, Thursday evening 7:00 pm. Rev. Leonard Cole, pastor.

Grace Baptist Church, Malone, KY. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday discipleship training 5:00 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday Bible study 6:00 pm. Bro. Mike Lindon, pastor.

Redbush Enterprise Baptist Church, Redbush, KY. Second Saturday evening each month 6:00 pm. Weekly Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm every third Sunday. Bro. Gerald Fyffe, pastor.

Hope Enterprise Baptist Church, KY-650, Doctor's Branch, Sandy Hook, KY. Every second Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Weekly Sunday School 9:45 am. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Tuesday evening prayer meeting 7:00 pm. Ronnie Mayse, pastor.

Hilltop Apostolic Church, KY-7 past Bruin. Tuesday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday morning 10:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Darrell Gallihue, pastor.

Victory Christian Center, Elliott County on Blaine's Trace Road off KY-486. Sunday School 9:45 am. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. David Webb, pastor.

Sandfield Community Church, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday Bible study 6:30 pm. Mike Brooks, pastor. Harold Stamper, assistant pastor.

Bethany Community Church, Bethany, KY. Sunday School 9:30 am. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Daniel Wendell, pastor. Phone 668-3703.

Broadway First Church Of God, West Liberty, KY 41472, phone 743-3759. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday prayer meeting 6:30 pm. Bro. Jessie Rogers, pastor.

Lacy Creek Enterprise Baptist Church, Lacy Creek, KY. Second weekend each month. Saturday evening 6:30 pm. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Every Sunday evening 6:30 pm. Bro. Tim Jenkins, pastor.

Apostolic Church Of Jesus Christ, Lytten, KY. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Denzil B. Fannin, pastor. Phone 738-6384.

Grassy Creek Pentecostal Church, Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Johnnie Davis, pastor.

Vision Baptist Church, Rogers, KY, KY-2818, KY-715. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday evening 6:00 pm. Scott Rogers, interim pastor.

Lacy Creek Church Of Christ, 2-1/2 miles off US-460 on KY-364, Cottle, KY. Phone 743-2380. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening youth service 6:00 pm. Thursday Bible study 7:00 pm. Jimmy Adkins, pastor, 743-3801. Elder lawrence Kersey, 743-3291. Elder Dan Hittepole, 743-3430. Elder Dr. James Frederick.

Words Of Encouragement Trinity Full Gospel Mission, Trace Branch, US-460, Magoffin County. Friday evening 7:30 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm.

Pine Grove Community Church, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Aaron Brooks, pastor.

Straight Creek Enterprise Baptist Church, Big Mandy Road off KY-650. Every third Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Every Sunday morning 11:00 am. Cortis Ison, pastor.

Catholic Church Of The Good Shepherd, 525 Main St., Campton, KY. Phone 668-3731. Sunday mass 12:30 pm. Wednesday evening 5:30 pm.

Countryside Community Church, KY-134, Johnson Fork. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Tuesday evening 7:00 pm. David Hinton, pastor.

Kernie Freewill Baptist Church, KY-134, Johnson Fork. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Butch Whitaker, pastor. Steve Arnett, assistant pastor.

Wallowhole Independent Baptist Church, Second Saturday evening each month 7:00 pm. Second Sunday morning each month 10:30 am. Every Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Thursday prayer meeting 7:00 pm.

Spring Branch Baptist Church, 100 Spring Branch Rd., Campton, KY 41301. Pastor Ron Lucas, 606-668-9229. Sunday School, 10:00 am, Sunday morning worship, 11:00 am, Sunday night service, 6:00 pm, Wednesday night Bible Study, 7:00 pm.

Horton Flats Community Baptist Church, 1.6 miles off KY-7 on KY-3353, Horton Flats Road. Sunday School 9:30 am. Sunday morning 10:30 am.

Wrigley Baptist Mission, KY-7, Wrigley, KY. Sunday morning fellowship 9:45 am. Sunday School 10:00 am (classes for every age plus deaf class). Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday Bible study 6:30 pm. Everyone welcome.

Fannin Enterprise Baptist Church, KY-557 (Ruin Road), Sandy Hook, KY. First Saturday evening each month at 7:00 pm. Every Sunday morning at 10:30 am. Wednesday prayer meeting 7:00 pm. George Stafford pastor and Jason Ison assistant pastor.

Crockett Primitive Baptist Church, KY-706. Pastor Hershell Wright and Charlue T. Wright invite everyone to attend. Sunday School at 10:00 am. Sunday worship service at 11:00 am. Wednesday night fellowship at 7:00 pm.

Campton Christian Church, 312 Main St., Campton, KY 41301, phone 606-362-9277. Sunday morning 11:00 am; Tuesday Bible study, 6:30 pm. Minister: Will Cooper. Website: www.camptonchristianchurch.org

Hazel Green Baptist Mission, Hazel Green Academy Campus. Sundays at 5:00 pm. Pastor, Lewis Faulkenberry, 606-662-6907 *Showing God's Love by Loving God's People.*

Saint John Baptist, Old KY 15, Pine Ridge, KY, Louise Lee Winchip Chapel. Sunday morning prayer 9:00 am; Holy Communion third Sunday. Wednesday evening prayer/Bible study 7:00 pm. Billy L. James, Senior Warden. 606-668-9030. Everyone welcome.

First Apostolic Church, Prestonsburg Street, West Liberty. Sunday School 10:00 am; Sunday worship 3:30 pm; Wednesday night worship 7:00 p,.

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Sept. 7 is National Grandparents Day. This Grandparents Day, tell them about the Medicare prescription drug plan and about he extra hlep they maybe able to get through Social Security. You will be doing more than just giving them advice. You could be saving them as much as $3,600 each per year.

The high cost of prescription drugs can be a burden on people with limited income and resources. Extra help – available through Social Security – can pay part of their monthly premiums, annual deductibles and prescription co-payments. The extra help could be worth up to $3,600 per year.

To figure out whether they are eligible, Social Security needs to know thier income and the value of their savings, investments and real estate (other than the home they live in). To qualify for the extra help, your grandparents must be receiving Medicare and have:

• Income limited to $15,600 for an individual or $21,000 for a married couple living together. Een if their annual income is higher, our grandparents still may be able to get some help with monthly premiums, annual deductibles and prescription co-payments. Some examples where income may be higher include if theyor their spouse support other family members who live with them, have earnings from work, live in Alaska or Hawaii.

• Resources limited to $11,990 for an individual or $23,970 for a married couple living together. Resources include such things as bank accounts, stocks and bonds. We do not count their house and car as resources.

Social Security has an easy-to-use online applicationthat anyone – family members, friends and caregivers – can complete. You can find it at www.socialsecurity.gov. To apply by phone or get an application, call Social Security at 1-800-772-1213 (TTY 1-800-325-0778) and ask for the Application for Help with Medicare Prescription Drug Plan Costs. Or go to the nearest Social Security office.

To learn more about the Medicare prescription drug plans and special enrollment periods, visit www.medicare.gov or call 1-800-MEDICARE (1-800-633-4227; TTY 1-877-486-2048).

It is time to give your grandparents a bit of good advice – and to save them up to $3,600.

Bernard O'Nan is the district manager at the Ashland Social Security office. A representative from the Ashland office visits West Liberty every first and third non-holiday Monday at the Community Center starting at 8:30 a.m. The Ashland office can be reached at 606-324-0516.

Goats may provide control for kudzu

By Andrew McGraw

Demand for goat meat is growing in the U.S., making goat raising more popular. And as some wonder if goat farming could provide a valuable source of income for families in need, some Kentuckians are using the animals to control undesirable plants such as kudzu, an invasive species that grows throughout the South.

Goats seem to provide a cheap solution to combating the weed, which is hard to clear manually or with herbicides. While cattle will not feed on broadleaf plants, goats will, and get added benefits due to kudzu's high levels of protein. Ray Bowman, executive director of the Kentucky Sheep and Goat Development Office told Sean Bailey of The Times Tribune in Corbin, Ky., "They go out there, eat the stuff, process it, and turn it into meat. And all they leave behind is fertilizer."

Barry Arnette, who raises goats on Sharpe Farm near Rockholds, Ky., is working with researchers from the University of Kentucky to determine how effective goats can be in controlling kudzu. "When the experiments are complete, Arnette and the UK team hope to come up with educational materials and 'hints' for farmers looking to get rid of kudzu," reports Bailey. Corbin is near the northern limit of kudzu's range, so Bailey writes, "If you don't know what kudzu is, you've seen it and not even known it. ... It will grow just about anywhere — sometimes even engulfing dilapidated sheds, fences and even towering trees."

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Groups fear impact of adventure tourism in Ky.

By Andrew McGraw

Sportsmen and environmentalists don't always see eye to eye, but their leading groups in Kentucky both question plans for expanding adventure tourism in the state.

Lt. Gov. Daniel Mongiardo is trying to develop a state-wide adventure tourism infrastructure that would include a trail across the state for activities such as horses, ATVs, hiking and mountain biking. Earlier this month, Mongiardo gave assurances that the plan would not affect sensitive natural areas, but organizations such as the League of Kentucky Sportsmen and Sierra Club worry that the trail would cross wildlife management areas and nature preserves.

In the Lexington Herald-Leader, reporter Andy Mead cited the new director of adventure tourism for Kentucky as declining to rule out the possibility that these areas could see later development, saying that trails would not be created in these areas that he could foresee.

Mongiardo argues that the infrastructure will help regulate trail usage. Mead writes that the lieutenant governor "spoke of a permitting and licensing system that would collect money from ATV riders and perhaps other trail users. The money would be used to build and maintain trails, and to pay for extra employees for the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources, which would enforce rules on the trails."

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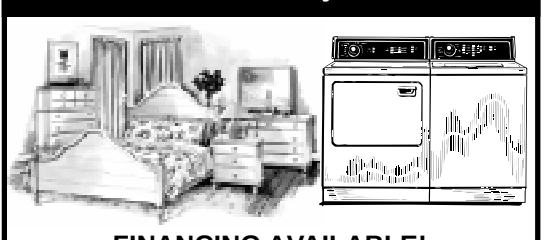

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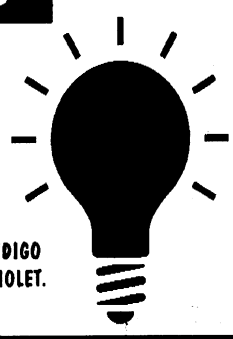

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FRIDAY EVENING — September 12

	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
NBC 3	News	NBC	Fortune	Jeo-	Toughest Jobs		Dateline NBC				News	Tonight
CBS 4	News	CBS	Fortune	Jeo-	Ghost Whisperer		Ghost Whisperer		NUMB3RS		News	Late
ABC 6	News	ABC	Enter-	Extra	The 2008 ALMA Awards				20/20		News	Night-
PBS 7	Math	Busi-	News-Lehrer		Com-	Group	Wash	NOW	Bill Moyers		News	Ky Life
NBC 8	News	NBC	Inside	Holly-	Toughest Jobs		Dateline NBC				News	Tonight
WGN 9	7th Heaven		7th Heaven		★★½ Back to School (1986)				WGN News		Scrubs	Scrubs
FOX 11	Deal No	Deal No	Two	Two	You Smarter?		Don't Forget		News		Simp-	Fam
CBS 12	News	CBS	Legends	King	Ghost Whisperer		Ghost Whisperer		NUMB3RS		News	Late
TBS 13	Friends	Ray-	Ray-	Ray-	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	★★★ Pretty Woman (1990)				Sex &	Sex &
ENC 14	JdgDre-	★ The One (2001)			★★ Step Up (2006)			★★★ The Big Lebowski (1998)				Animal
FAM 15	★★½ Bring It On (2000)				★★½ Bring It On (2000)				Home Videos		The 700 Club	
LIFE 16	Reba	Reba	Still	Still	Reba	Reba	Lovewrecked (2006)				Will	Will
A&E 17	Cold Case Files		CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		Criminal Minds	
SHOW 19	Inside the NFL		★★ Employee of the Month (2006)				Weeds	Weeds	Penn	Penn	Inside the NFL	
DISN 20	Mon-	Mon-	Suite	Mon-	Wizards	Phineas	Cory	Life	Wizards	Life	Suite	Mon-
MAX 21	★★½ Demolition Man (1993)				★★½ The Brave One (2007)				★★½ Predator (1987)			
HBO 22	Road	★★½ Brokedown Palace (1999)				★★½ The Kingdom (2007)				Entour-	Real Time	
AMC 24	★★½ Quigley Down Under (1990)				★★½ The Karate Kid (1984)					The Karate Kid, Part Two		
USA 25	House		House		House		Monk		Psych		House	
DSC 26	Deadliest Shark		Deadliest Shark		Air Jaws-Shark		Project Earth		Project Earth		Made	Made
ESPN 27	SportsCenter		MLB Baseball: Teams to Be Announced						Baseball Tonight		SportsCenter	
TNT 32	Law & Order		Law & Order		★★★ Wedding Crashers (2005)					What Women Want		
SCI 33	Stargate SG-1		Stargate SG-1		Stargate Atlantis		Stargate Atlantis		Stargate Atlantis		Stargate SG-1	

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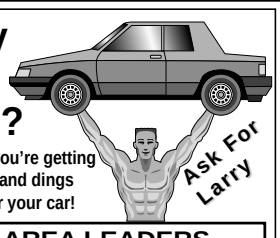

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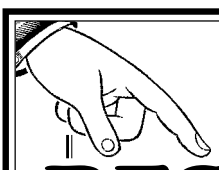

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SATURDAY EVENING — September 13

	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
NBC 3	College Football		News	Cash	Chuck		Law Order: CI		Law Order: CI		News	SNL
CBS 4	College Football		Fortune	Jeo-	NCIS		48 Hours Mystery				News	Football
ABC 6	College Football		News	Insider	College Football: Ohio State at USC							News
PBS 7	Lawrence Welk		Louis-	Red	Ky Life	Ken-	The Lady Vanishes			Laby-	Austin City Limits	
NBC 8	College Football		Paid	Paid	Chuck		Law Order: CI		Law Order: CI		News	SNL
WGN 9	Home Videos		Funniest	Funniest	★★ Mr. Baseball (1992)				WGN News		Scrubs	Scrubs
FOX 11	MLB Baseball		Two	Two	Cops	Cops	Most Wanted		News		MADtv	
CBS 12	College Football		Griffith	King	NCIS		48 Hours Mystery				WYMT	Outdrs-
TBS 13	Ray-	Ray-	King	King	★★★ Pretty Woman (1990)					The Wedding Date		
ENC 14	O Brother-Thou		★★★ The Big Lebowski (1998)				★★★½ Jerry Maguire (1996)					Eraser
FAM 15	★½ Bring It On Again (2004)				Bring It On: All or Nothing (2006)				★★½ Sugar & Spice (2001)			
LIFE 16	The Memory Keeper's Daughter				Coco Chanel (2008)						Coco Chanel	
A&E 17	★★★ Erin Brockovich (2000)				★★★ My Cousin Vinny (1992)					The Sopranos		Jacked
SHOW 19	School-Scound		Mission: Impossible III				Boxing: Nate Campbell vs. Joan Guzman					Weeds
DISN 20	Suite	Suite	Suite	Mon-	Cory	Phineas	Charlie and the Chocolate Factory				Suite	Mon-
MAX 21	★★ Death Sentence (2007)				★★½ Night at the Museum (2006)				★★ Rendition (2007)			
HBO 22	The Astronaut Farmer				★★★½ Michael Clayton (2007)				True Blood		Vampire	Blood
AMC 24	★★★★ The Searchers (1956)				★★★ Silverado (1985)						Silverado	
USA 25	Burn Notice		Burn Notice		★★½ The Mummy Returns (2001)						Psych	
DSC 26	Sinking Carrier		Man vs. Wild		Man vs. Wild		Man vs. Wild		Man vs. Wild		Man vs. Wild	
ESPN 27	Football	Score	Score		College Football: Oklahoma at Washington					SportsCenter		
TNT 32	★★½ What Women Want (2000)				★★★ Wedding Crashers (2005)					Shanghai Knights		
SCI 33	Solar Attack		Earthstorm (2006)				Ba'al: The Storm God (2008)				Solar Attack	

TUESDAY EVENING — September 16

	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
NBC 3	News	NBC	Fortune	Jeo-	The Biggest Loser: Families				Law & Order: SVU		News	Tonight
CBS 4	News	CBS	Fortune	Jeo-	NCIS		Big Brother 10		Without a Trace		News	Late
ABC 6	News	ABC	Enter-	Extra	Wipeout			Primetime: UFOs-Believing			News	Night-
PBS 7	GED	Busi-	News-Lehrer		Nova				Globe Trekker		News	Ky Life
NBC 8	News	NBC	Inside	Holly-	The Biggest Loser: Families				Law & Order: SVU		News	Tonight
WGN 9	7th Heaven		7th Heaven		Funniest	Funniest	Funniest	Funniest	WGN News		Scrubs	Scrubs
FOX 11	Deal No	Deal No	Two	Two	House		Fringe		News		Simp-	Fam
CBS 12	News	CBS	Lawyers	King	NCIS		Big Brother 10		Without a Trace		News	Late
TBS 13	Friends	Ray-	Ray-	Ray-	Fam	Fam	Fam	Fam	Office	Office	Frank	Frank
ENC 14	Home Alone 2: Lost in New York				★★½ The Guardian (2006)					Animal House		
FAM 15	Lincoln Heights		Lincoln Heights		Lincoln Heights		Greek		Lincoln Heights		The 700 Club	
LIFE 16	Reba	Reba	Still	Still	Reba	Reba	Wife Swap		Good Naked		Will	Will
A&E 17	Cold Case Files		CSI: Miami		The First 48		The First 48		The Cleaner		The Cleaner	
SHOW 19	Champion		The Dog Problem (2006)		Smiley Face (2007)				Weeds	Weeds	Penn	Penn
DISN 20	Phineas	Phineas	Suite	Mon-	Cheetah Girls: One World			Wizards	Wizards	Life	Suite	Mon-
MAX 21	Disturbia		Assassination of Jesse James by Coward Robert Ford						★★½ Alpha Dog (2006)			
HBO 22	★★ 28 Days (2000)			Music	★★★½ Michael Clayton (2007)				REAL Sports		Entour-	Blood
AMC 24	★★½ Murder by Numbers (2002)				★★½ Two Weeks Notice (2002)				★★★ Matchstick Men (2003)			
USA 25	NCIS		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		House		House		Law Order: CI	
DSC 26	Cash	Cash	Made	Made	Dirty Jobs		Dirty Jobs		Dirty Jobs		Made	Made
ESPN 27	SportsCenter		E:60		Series of Poker		Series of Poker		Baseball Tonight		SportsCenter	
TNT 32	Law & Order		Law & Order		Law & Order		Law & Order		Law & Order		Raising the Bar	
SCI 33	Stargate SG-1		Star Trek Gen.		Eureka		Eureka		ECW		Scare	Scare

SUNDAY EVENING — September 14

	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
NBC 3	News	NBC	Football Night		NFL Football: Pittsburgh Steelers at Cleveland Browns							News
CBS 4	NFL Football		60 Minutes		Big Brother 10		Cold Case		CSI: Miami		News	Dan
ABC 6	ABC	News	Home Videos		Extreme-Home		Desperate Housewives				News	Coache-
PBS 7	Work-	Garden	Keep	Summer	Time-	May	Masterpiece			Currier	America	Book-
NBC 8	News	NBC	Football Night		NFL Football: Pittsburgh Steelers at Cleveland Browns							News
WGN 9	Cosby	Cosby	WKRP	WKRP	Newhart	Newhart	Honey-	Honey-	News	Replay	Bewitch	Bewitch
FOX 11	Fam	MDTV	Simp-	Simp-	Fringe				News		Free-	Motor
CBS 12	NFL Football		60 Minutes		Big Brother 10		Cold Case		CSI: Miami		WYMT	Paid
TBS 13	★★ Along Came a Spider (2001)				★★★ Cast Away (2000)					★★★ Cast Away (2000)		
ENC 14	★ Gone in Sixty Seconds (2000)				Talladega Nights: Ricky Bobby				★★★ The Rock (1996)			
FAM 15	Bring It On Again		Bring It On: All or Nothing (2006)				Bring It On: In It to Win It (2007)				My Wife	My Wife
LIFE 16	What's Love		Coco Chanel (2008)						Army Wives		Grey's Anatomy	
A&E 17	Crime 360		CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		The Cleaner	
SHOW 19	★★ Deep Impact (1998)		10 Items or Less				Dexter		Weeds	Californ	Penn	Still
DISN 20	Wizards	Wizards	Suite	Mon-	Mon-	Wizards	The Lizzie McGuire Movie			Phineas	Suite	Mon-
MAX 21	★★½ What Lies Beneath (2000)				★★ Rendition (2007)				Fantastic Four			Coed
HBO 22	Music and Lyrics		★★★ Charlie's Angels (2000)				True Blood		Entour-	True Blood		Live
AMC 24	Million Dollar		★★★ Philadelphia (1993)						Mad Men		Mad Men	
USA 25	House		House		House		House		House		House	
DSC 26	Before-Ruled		Before Dinos		Before Dinos		Dino Mummy		Dinos-Return		Before Dinos	
ESPN 27	Baseball Tonight		SportsCenter		MLB Baseball: Detroit Tigers at Chicago White Sox						SportsCenter	
TNT 32	★★ Old School (2003)				★★★ Wedding Crashers (2005)				★★ Old School (2003)			
SCI 33	Ba'al: The Storm God (2008)				★★ National Treasure (2004)						Basilisk: King	

WEDNESDAY EVENING — September 17

	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
NBC 3	News	NBC	Fortune	Jeo-	America's Got Talent				Law Order: CI		News	Tonight
CBS 4	News	CBS	Fortune	Jeo-	Chris-	Chris-	Criminal Minds		CSI: NY		News	Late
ABC 6	News	ABC	Enter-	Extra	Wife Swap		20/20: Royal		Primetime		News	Night-
PBS 7	GED	Busi-	News-Lehrer		Jubilee		Live From Lincoln Center			Spirit	News	Ky Life
NBC 8	News	NBC	Inside	Holly-	America's Got Talent				Law Order: CI		News	Tonight
WGN 9	7th Heaven		7th Heaven		Corner	Corner	Becker	Becker	WGN News		Scrubs	Scrubs
FOX 11	Deal No	Deal No	Two	Two	Bones		Til	Do Not	News		Simp-	Fam
CBS 12	News	CBS	Ken-	King	Chris-	Chris-	Criminal Minds		CSI: NY		News	Late
TBS 13	Friends	Ray-	Ray-	Ray-	Fam	Fam	Payne	Payne	Payne	Payne	Friends	Friends
ENC 14	Mission	★★ Beethoven (1992)			★★★ Gridiron Gang (2006)				★★½ The Faculty (1998)			
FAM 15	My Wife	My Wife	70s	70s	Home Videos		Home Videos		Home Videos		The 700 Club	
LIFE 16	Reba	Reba	Still	Still	Reba	Reba	Wall of Secrets (2003)				Will	Will
A&E 17	Cold Case Files		CSI: Miami		Dog	Dog	Dog	Dog	Angel	Angel	Criss Angel	
SHOW 19	Show-	★★★ Casino Royale (2006)					Inside the NFL		Weeds	Penn	Inside the NFL	
DISN 20	Wizards	Wizards	Suite	Mon-	★★½ Air Bud (1997)				Wizards	Life	Suite	Mon-
MAX 21	Reap-	★½ The Marine (2006)			★★★ Happy Feet (2006)				★★ Rendition (2007)			
HBO 22	Because I Said So			Music and Lyrics			Eagle	Entour-	True Blood		Real Time	
AMC 24	★★★ Matchstick Men (2003) Cont'd				★★ Blown Away (1994)					★★½ Ladder 49 (2004)		
USA 25	NCIS		Law & Order: SVU		House		★★★ The 40-Year-Old Virgin (2005)					
DSC 26	Cash	Cash	Made	Made	MythBusters		MythBusters		Man vs. Wild		Made	Made
ESPN 27	SportsCenter		MLB Baseball: Teams to Be Announced						Baseball Tonight		SportsCenter	
TNT 32	Law & Order		Law & Order		Law & Order		Law & Order		The Closer		Cold Case	
SCI 33	Stargate SG-1		Ghost Hunters		Ghost Hunters		Ghost Hunters		Destination Truth		Ghost Hunters	

MONDAY EVENING — September 15

	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
NBC 3	News	NBC	Fortune	Jeo-	Deal or No Deal		Toughest Jobs		Dateline NBC		News	Tonight
CBS 4	News	CBS	Fortune	Jeo-	Big	Mother	Two	Chris-	CSI: Miami		News	Late
ABC 6	News	ABC	Enter-	Extra	★★★ Batman Begins (2005)						News	Night-
PBS 7	GED	Busi-	News-Lehrer		Candidates Forum		History Detectives		Where We Stand		News	Ky Life
NBC 8	News	NBC	Inside	Holly-	Deal or No Deal		Toughest Jobs		Dateline NBC		News	Tonight
WGN 9	7th Heaven		7th Heaven		Home Videos		Home Videos		WGN News		Scrubs	Scrubs
FOX 11	Deal No	Deal No	Two	Two	Sarah Connor		Prison Break		News		Simp-	Fam
CBS 12	News	CBS	Issues	King	Big	Mother	Two	Chris-	CSI: Miami		News	Late
TBS 13	Friends	Ray-	Ray-	Ray-	Fam	Fam	Fam	Fam	Name	Name	Sex &	Sex &
ENC 14	Four Weddings and a Funeral				★★½ The Holiday (2006)					L.A. Confidential		
FAM 15	My Wife	My Wife	70s	★★★ Holes (2003)					Home Videos		The 700 Club	
LIFE 16	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Coco Chanel (2008)						Will	Will
A&E 17	Cold Case Files		Intervention		Intervention		Intervention		Para-	Para-	Para-	Para-
SHOW 19	Earth	Arthur and the Invisibles			★★ Daddy's Little Girls (2007)				Weeds	Californ	Weeds	Californ
DISN 20	Suite	Suite	Suite	Mon-	Gotta Kick It Up			Phineas	Wizards	Life	Suite	Mon-
MAX 21	Whole 9	The Comebacks			★½ Georgia Rule (2007)				★★ Rendition (2007)			
HBO 22	★★★ Meet the Parents (2000)				Real Time		★★½ Smokin' Aces (2007)				Bad Boys	
AMC 24	★★½ The Karate Kid (1984) Cont'd				★★★ Troy (2004)							Kara-
USA 25	NCIS		Law & Order: SVU		House		WWE Monday Night Raw				Burn Notice	
DSC 26	Cash	Cash	Made	Made	Dinos-Return		Dino Mummy		Into the Unknown		Made	Made
ESPN 27	SportsCenter		Monday Night Countdown		NFL Football: Philadelphia Eagles at Dallas Cowboys							Sports-
TNT 32	Law & Order		Law & Order		The Closer		The Closer		Raising the Bar		Bones	
SCI 33	National Treas.		Lost		Lost		Lost		Lost		Gurren	Gurren

THURSDAY EVENING — September 18

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NBC 3	News	NBC	Fortune	Jeo-	Name	Talent	The Office		ER		News	Tonight
CBS 4	News	CBS	Fortune	Jeo-	CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		Flashpoint		News	Late
ABC 6	News	ABC	Enter-	Extra	Ugly Betty		Grey's Anatomy				News	Night-
PBS 7	GED	Busi-	News-Lehrer		Antiques Rdsho		Ky Wildflowers		American Shrts		News	Ky Life
NBC 8	News	NBC	Inside	Holly-	Name	Talent	The Office		ER		News	Tonight
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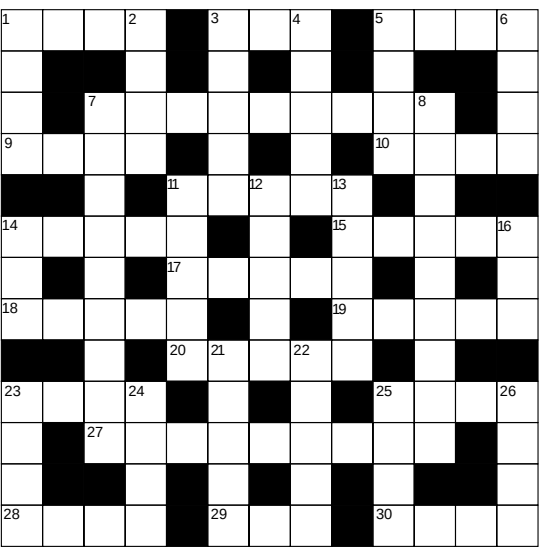

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28. Fasten
29. Large deer
30. Pageantry

CLUES DOWN
1. Replete
2. Seep
3. Trim
4. Shelf
5. Smite
6. Greatest number
7. Surrounds
8. Snout
11. Brand
12. Praise
13. Shabby
14. Snake-like fish
16. Month
21. Elude
22. Pinch
23. Crust
24. Requirement
25. Swathe
26. Walk lamely

SOLUTIONS

ACROSS
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COMMUNITY BULLETIN BOARD

Morgan Co. schools homework hotline

Morgan County schools homework hotline numbers are as follows: Morgan County Middle School, 743-8118; East Valley Elementary School, 522-8185; Ezel Elementary School, 725-8208; Morgan Central Elementary School, 743-8433; and West Liberty Elementary School, 743-8427.

Gateway WIA program offering following services

Between the ages of 18-21? Ready to make a difference in your life? The Gateway WIA program is now offering the following services to residents of Morgan and Menifee Counties: Work Readiness Skills, Attending College for short term training, Life skills training, Obtaining work experience, Parenting skills, Financial planning. If interested call Karen at (606) 743-4141, ext. 101 today to see if you qualify.

Attention women ages 40-64

If you are a Kentucky resident, have no insurance, if you have never had a mammorgram or it has been two years or more since your last mammogram, you may qualify for a screening and will receive a $10 Wal Mart card to spend how you wish. Call Morgan County Health Department at 743-3744, and ask for an appointment today!! Funding provided by: Kentucky Cancer Progra, Susan G. Komen and Gateway District Health Department.

Farm equipment for rent to Morgan farm owners

Morgan County Conservation District has for rent an Aerator, two Renovators, an Ag Sprayer, and a fertilizer/lime spreader to farm owners in Morgan County. Please contact the conservation district at (606) 743-3194, if you have any questions about renting this equipment, or stop by the office at 955 Prestsonsburg Street, Suite #2, West Liberty, Ky. 41472.

C-tf

Morgan Christian Acad. needs old cell phones and ink cartridges

The Morgan County Christian Academy is collecting used, no longer needed, cell phones and used printer cartridges. The Academy is doing this as an effort to recycle. So please, if you have any used cell phones or ink cartridges, call the school at 743-1824 or drop them off at the school at Index.

C-8-23-tf

Service times at Seventh Day Adventist Church

The Seventh Day Adventist Church, 1266 E. Main Street, in Jackson, meets at 10 a.m. for Saturday worship, and at 6 p.m. for Tuesday Bible study. Everyone welcome.

C-1-8-tf

Henry Cemetery Notice

Donations are needed for the mowing and upkeep of the Henry Cemetery, located at Index. Please send to Dearl Dykes, Treasurer, 334 S. Howard Street, Sabina, Ohio 45169.

C-3-27-tf

Volunteers needed!

Volunteers are needed for the Morgan County History Museum. We need volunteers that can work a few hours a week at the museum. Days needed are Tuesday and Friday. We are open from 10 a.m. until 1 p.m. Any help will be appreciated.

C-1-31-tf

Saturday night services at Zag Community Ch.

Church services are held on the first Saturday of each month at Zag Community Church, located one mile off Hwy. 519 on Hwy. 976. The pastor, Bro. Donald Cox, assistant pastor, Bro. J.R. Keeton, and congregation invite everyone to come out and join us. Services start at 7 p.m.

C-6-5-TF

Walter and Nickell reunion slated Sept. 20

The 10th Walter and Nickell reunion for the family and friends of the late Franklin and Clara Nickell Walter will be held Saturday, Sept. 20, at the Ralph E. Long Memorial Park, 4007 Winchester Road, Lexington, Ky. Come, bring your favorite dish. Paper supplies, drinks and utensils furnished. For more information call Eugene Walter, (859) 277-3462, or Frances Walter Long (859) 299-5716. See you there.

C-8-28-4t

Sunday school class at Tom's Branch Church

Tom's Branch Community Church is proud to announce Sunday School every Sunday at 10 a.m., under the direction of Brother Ronnie Poe. We would like to invite everyone to come out and bring the children that they may learn about Jesus in a fun filled atmosphere.

New Life Center

Is your family suffering through addiction? We can help! Call toll free 877-300-7044. Experienced, compassionate counselors are standing by to help with free nationwide referrals, low cost rehabilitation solutions, free assessments and counseling. Call today or log on to www.newlifecentersf.com or e-mail: newlifecentersf@qmail.com. Get the help you need now!

"Reduce Your Debt" financial classes slated

"Reduce Your Debt!" Dave Ramsey's course on how to achieve Financial Peace by saving money for purchases and emergencies, getting out of debt, planning for retirement and college and much more is being offered free through the Financial Partners Program at Gateway Community Action Agency. Classes as well as one on one financial counseling sessions are free and available to everyone. A new class will be starting in Morgan County on Tuesday, April 1, at the Morgan Central Elementary School at 5:30 p.m. If you would like to participate in the class or would like more information, please contact Wendy Crain-Lawson at (606) 783-0362 or by email at wendy.crain@gcscap.org. Literacy activities and supervision will be provided for children through the Reading First Grant. Snacks will be provided for children and participants by Morgan Central Elementary.

AA meetings slated for each Sunday evening

AA meetings are being held each Sunday at 8 p.m. in the conference room at the county government building. For more information or directions, call 606-743-1210.

MCHS Class of 1968 40th reunion Sept. 27

The Morgan County High School Class of 1968 reunion committee announces that the 40th reunion will be held 6 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 27, at the Technology Center at Index. Please return your registration letter as quickly as possible so we can have an attendance count. If you have any questions please contact Wilma Bradley Ison at 743-7728, Pam Reed Risner at 743-7806 or Patty Caskey Ross at 725-5791.

C-6-5-2T

Attention MCHS Class of 1998

Morgan County High School Class of 1998 members are cordially invited to attend a 10 year class reunion on Saturday, Sept. 27 (Sorghum Festival weekend), at West Liberty Elementary School, from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m. Please R.S.V.P. by sending $10 per person to: Tiffany Buchanan Bradley, 1922 Hwy. 1010, Ezel, Ky. 41425.

C-7-31-8t

Class of 1958 reunion set Saturday, Sept. 27

The class of 1958 will meet on Saturday, Sept. 27, for a class reunion. We will meet at the West Liberty Masonic Lodge Hall at 7 p.m. (next to the Baptist Church). We are looking forward to seeing you at the reunion. Come join in, it will be a great experience. Fifty years does not come but two times in a century! C-8-7-8t

CountrySide services at Natural Bridge Sept. 14

CountrySide Community Church will be holding service at Natural Bridge in shelter #1 on Sunday, Sept. 14. There will be no services held at the church that day. Morning worship service will begin at approximately 11 a.m. Lunch will follow the service. Pastor James Hinton and congregation welcome all to come out and enjoy. C-8-28-3t

Class of 1955 to gather for reunion Sept. 26

The MCHS graduating class of 1955 will be having an informal class reunion at Pattie's Place Restaurant (back room) on Friday, Sept. 26, starting at 2 p.m. Order from menu. Contact Marta McKenzie, cell: 352-408-9669.

C-8-14-6t

Memorial services at Eldridge Cemetery

There will be memorial services at the Eldridge Cemetery, at Isonville, beginning at 11 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 13. Dinner will be served after the service. For more information call 738-4917.

C-9-4-2t

Volunteers needed!

Volunteers are needed for the Morgan County History Museum. We need volunteers that can work a few hours a week at the museum. Days needed--Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday. We are open from 10 a.m. until 1 p.m. Any help will be appreciated.

C-8-16-tf

Anti-drug groups monthly meetings

Local anti-drug groups meet the first Wednesday of every month in the county government building's fiscal court room at the following times: ASAP, 12 p.m.; UNITE, 1 p.m.; and Champions, 2 p.m. The public is invited to attend these meetings and participate in group activities.

C-5-15-TF

Blood drawing Sept. 11 in West Liberty

The Mountain Telephone employees were very busy during the July blood drawing and were unable to donate. However, they plan to turn out en masse during the Sept. 11 drawing and are challenging the Licking Valley RECC staff and employees to a donors duel.

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C-8-14-6t

EMT training set Wednesday, Sept. 17

Morgan Emergency Training will be starting an EMT Basic Course on Wednesday, Sept. 17, at the MSU Enterprise Building. For additional information contact Rodney Cantrell at 743-3497.

C-9-4-2t

Upcoming blood drawing slated for Sept. 11 in W. Liberty

Donors are much needed for the Thursday, Sept. 11, blood drawing in West Liberty! Due to a low turnout and several deferrals at the July 10 drawing, only 62 units of blood were drawn. This is a low figure for Morgan County, and hopefully we can bring this number up on Sept. 11.

Those earning medals in July were Kathleen Henderson, 1 gal.; and Rhonda Henderson, 5 gal.

Those giving doubles were Robert McCowan, Gregory Lewis, Lowell Adkins, and Paul Henry.

Plan, prepare and dedicate yourself to donate on Sept. 11!

Special worship event slated Sept. 13 at Ezel

A free, nondenominational worship event is slated for Saturday, Sept. 13, at Ezel, Rt. 460 behind Blackwater Fire Department. The fun starts at 12 p.m. and includes games, preaching, food, drama, gospel singing, praise in motion. Featured groups include Sacred, Grace Baptist at Malone, WordsinRed Band from Irvine, Green Pastures Worship Center, Crossfire Drama Team, of Winchester, and Epperson First Church of God. Peaching will be by David Smith, Korea Church of God youth Pastor. Bring a lawn chair and enjoy the day. No churches or individuals involved in the planning and hosting of this event will be held responsible for accidents.

C-8-28-3t

Gateway Com. Action Agency meeting Sept. 11

Gateway Community Action Agency will hold its bi-monthly board meeting on Thursday, Sept. 11. The meeting will be held in Frenchburg at the Menifee County Community Building and will begin at 6:30 p.m. The public is invited to attend.

Revival at Red River Community Church

Evangelist Dr. Wilfred Fisher will be in revival at Red River Community Church Sunday, Sept. 21, through Thursday, Sept. 25. Special singing during each service. Sunday services 10 a.m. Sunday School, 10:45 a.m. worship, 6 p.m. worship. Services at 7 p.m. Monday through Thursday. The pastor, Bro. Charles Glover, and congregation extend an invitation to everyone to attend.

C-9-4-3t

Sorghum Fest. Pageant set Sept. 20 at MCHS

The Sorghum Festival Pageant will be held Saturday, Sept. 20, at Morgan County High School. Registration will be from 12:30 to1:30 p.m., followed by the pageant at 2 p.m. For additional information call Pam at 743-3471 or 743-4560.

C-9-4-3t

CountrySide Services at Natural Bridge Sept. 14

CountrySide Community Church will be holding service at Natural Bridge in shelter #1 on September 14. There will be no services held at the church that day. Morning worship service will begin at approximately 11 a.m. Lunch will follow the service. Pastor James Hinton and congregation welcomes all to come out and enjoy.

Helen Lewis to sing at Ch. of God Homecoming

Helen Lewis will be singing bluegrass gospel at the Hazel Green Church of God Homecoming service on Sunday, Sept. 21. Services begin at 11 a.m. The pastor and congregation invite all to attend.

C-9-4-3t

Attention Class of '61

Attention Class of '61... our 47th year reunion will be held in the basement of the Community Center on Friday, Sept. 26, from 5 to 8 p.m. Anyone who needs further details may contact Tommy Oldfield, Bina Sue Adkins, or Carolyn Jo Lacy. We hope to see you there.

C-8-28-4t

1968 MCHS class reunion set Sept. 27

The Class of 1968 fortieth reunion is scheduled for Sept. 27, and letters were mailed out. The following notices have been returned because of incorrect address; Doug Gevedon, Hazel Blair Rickett, Darrell Cole, Ronald J. Adkins, and Donald Hale. If you know the address or phone numbr of any of these classmates, please contact Wilma Ison at 743-7728.

C-9-11-3t

Planning Commission set to meet on Sept. 15

The West Liberty Planning Commission will meet in regular session 12 p.m. Monday, Sept. 15, in the West Liberty City Hall Council Room. All meetings are open to the public.

Lick Fork Pentecostal Ch. revival Sept. 10-14

Lick Fork Pentecostal Church, located on Hwy. 7, will hold a homecoming revival Wednesday, Sept. 10-Sunday, Sept. 14. Services will begin nightly at 7 p.m., and on Sunday at 11 a.m. Rev. Eugene Haney will be preaching. Pastor J.B. Lewis and congregation invite everyone to attend.

Blackwater Fire Dept. Hog Roast set Oct. 4

Blackwater Volunteer Fire Department will hold its Fifth Annual Hog Roast on Saturday, Oct. 4. Further details will be released as the event nears.

Morgan County PDB meeting Sept. 16

There will be a regular meeting of the Morgan County Project Development Board for the AOC Project on Tuesday, Sept. 16, at 3 p.m. The meeting will take place at the Morgan County Office Building, Conference Room, 450 Prestonsburg Street, West Liberty. (For further information you may contact Judge Tim Conley at (606) 743-3897).

Old Union Church in need of donations

The congregation of Old Union Enterprise Baptist Church, on Williams Creek, is planning to add restrooms to the church. Anyone willing to help with this project may send donations to Bro. Tivis Ison, Pastor, at H.C. 75 Box 1585, Isonville, Ky. 41149; or Bro. Jimmie R. Smith, Clerk, at 1544 Stingy Fork Road, West Liberty, Ky. 41472. For additional information phone (606) 522-4558.

C-9-11-tf

1983 MCHS Football team to be honored

The 1983 MCHS Football team will be honored before this year's Sorghum Bowl. Contact Steve McKenzie, 743-4493, Kevin Collins, 743-1473, or Chris Trusty, 743-1750 if you plan on attending.

C-9-11-2t

Greenville Lodge fish fry, awards, family night set

Greenville Lodge #655 F & AM, at Caney, will be having a fish fry and awards and family night on Saturday, Oct. 4, at 6 p.m. All Master Masons, family and friends are invited . Meeting to follow.

C-9-11-3t

Morgan Central Site Base meeting Sept. 16

Morgan Central Elementary Site Base meeting will be Tuesday, Sept. 16, at 3:30 p.m.

Subscribe Today!

Homecoming service at Centerville Church

There will be homecoming services at Centerville Church on Sunday, Sept. 16, starting at 11 a.m. Bro. Ron Oplingr will be preaching. Pastor Harry Flannery and congregation invite all to come, bring a friend, and enjoy the day.

C-9-11-2t

MSU Board of Regents meeting slated Sept. 11

MSU Board of Regents meeting will be Thursday, Sept. 11, at 9 a.m., in Room 201, MSU Regional Enterprise Center, West Liberty. A variety of items are on the agenda for the meeting. The Board will hear reports on personal service contracts and preliminary figures for fall enrollment. The Regents also will ratify personnel actions and approve tenure, emeritus status, MSU 21st Century Education Enterprise, Inc. the renaming of Thompson Hall and disposal of real property. The Board also will hear the President's report and approve a resolution of commendation for former Regent Helen Pennington. the spotlight will be on MSU's regional campus at West Liberty. Porter Dailey will do a report on the Regional Enterprise Center and Dr. Jonell Tobin will report on the academic center.

Sophomore Parent Night set Tuesday, Sept. 16th

Sophomore Parent Night will be held at Morgan County High School on Tuesday, Sept. 16, from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Parents will be provided with information and tools they need to help plan for and finance higher education for their child. Information about the ACT PLAN test given to Sophomores and the significance of the results will also be presented.

Parent Teacher Conf. at MCHS Sept. 18th

There will be a Parent Teacher Conference at Morgan County High School Thursday, Sept. 18, from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m.

New phone number for PVCC

A new phone number has recently been assigned to Pleasant Valley Country Club. Anyone needing information concerning the Country Club may call (606) 743-3329.

C-9-11-3t

Homecoming at Zag Community Church

Zag Community Church will observe Homecoming '08 on Sunday, Sept. 14. Worship service begins at 10 a.m. with Blessed as the featured singers. The speaker will be Bro. Timmy Sargent. The pastor, Bro. Donald Cox, assistant pastor, Bro. J.R. Keeton, and congregation welcome everyone. Dinner will be served in the fellowship hall following the services.

Homecoming service at West Liberty Ch. of God

Homecoming services at West Liberty Church of God, on Glenn Avenue, will be Sunday, Sept. 14, beginning at 11 a.m. Bro. Donald Rudd, formerly of Ezel, will be preaching during this service. Dinner will be served following services. There will be no Sunday school or evening service. Pastor Gary Fields and congregation invite everyone to attend.

Services at Bethany Enterprise Baptist Ch.

Brother Wendell Ison will be preaching at Bethany Enterprise Baptist Church, located on War Creek Road, Sunday, Sept. 14. Services start at 10:30 a.m. Pastor Rick Pelfrey and congregation invite everyone to come and worship with us.

Monthly singing at Sandfield Com. Church

The monthly singing at Sandfield Community Church will be Saturday, Sept. 20, at 7 p.m. Featured singers will be *Free At Last*, from Georgetown, including Lingle O'Hair Kelley. The pastor, Bro. Mike Brooks, and congregation invite everyone to attend.

C-9-11-2t

Homecoming services at Sandfield Com. Church

Homecoming will be celebrated at Sandfield Community Church on Sunday, Sept. 21, with Pollyanna Shouse providing special singing. Services begin at 11 a.m. Dinner will be served immediately following services. The pastor, Bro. Mike Brooks, and congregation invite everyone to attend.

C-9-11-2t

Walk To Remember Sunday, October 12 at Old Mill Park

Struggling with the loss of a child? Please join us in Morgan County's first ever Walk To Remember Sunday, Oct. 12, at 2 p.m., at Old Mill Park, West Liberty, Ky. A Day of Remembrance... A Day of Sharing... A Day of Hope. We dedicate this walk to the memory of a child.

Join us as we come together to support those in our community who face bearing the loss of a child. Let us recognize the much needed support for bereaved parents, family and friends who endure this pain. Let us reflect on the hopes and dreams for each child, and celebrate their memory. Let us hope that as each day passes, the pain will be somewhat more bearable.

If you would like more information or have questions, please contact: Tonya Nickles at 725-4446 or knickles@mrtc.com, or Marie Elam, (606) 666-5793 or meboyd@yahoo.com.

C-9-11-3t

PTCO meeting at East Valley Elem. Sept. 18

There will be a PTCO meeting at East Valley Elementary School at 4:30 p.m. on Thursday, Sept. 18, in the school cafeteria. All parents, teachers, and interested community members are invited to attend.

C-9-11-2t

Planning for your retirement session Sept. 18 at W.L.

WEST LIBERTY, Ky.—Morehead State University at West Liberty's Small Business Development Center and Smith Barney are sponsoring a seminar titled "Your Power Years: A Preview of Tomorrow's Possibilities" on Thursday, Sept. 18.

The free workshop will discuss what new opportunities may be present and what challenges should be considered when funding your retirement. Featured speaker will be Amanda Jason, financial adviser with Citi Smith Barney.

The workshop will be held in room 318 of the Regional Enterprise Center, 151 University Drive, West Liberty. The program will begin at 5:30 p.m.

Those interested in attending may register by calling the West Liberty SBDC at (606) 743-4005 or online at www.ksbdc.org.

This workshop is one of many provided by Morehead State University's Small Business Development centers. For a list of upcoming events you may visit the MSU SBDC Web site at www.moreheadstate.edu/sbdc.

Training programs, sponsored or cosponsored by SBDC, are available to all individuals without regard to race, color, sex, creed or national origin.

Buy-in waiver deadline is Sept. 16 for producers

LEXINGTON, Ky., Sept. 5 – Farm Service Agency (FSA) State Executive Director Jeffery Hall reminds producers of the deadline for those who want to ensure eligibility for crop yield losses under the new Supplemental Revenue Assistance Program (SURE), Livestock Forage Disaster Program (LFP), Tree Assistance Program (TAP), and Emergency Assistance Livestock, Honeybees and Farm-Raised Fish Program (ELAP). September 16 is the last day to pay the "buy-in" fee for crops, including grazing lands, that are not fully covered by crop insurance or the noninsured crop disaster assistance program (NAP).

The 2008 Farm Bill requires producers who wish to participate in disaster programs to have crop insurance or NAP coverage for the land for which assistance is being requested, and for all farms in all counties in which they have an interest. Since the new farm bill was enacted after the insurance application periods had closed for crops, including grazing lands, producers who did not have such coverage could not comply with this requirement in order to be eligible for the new disaster program. The buy-in only effects eligibility for the 2008 disaster program. The payment of the appropriate buy-in fee does not afford the producer actual crop insurance or NAP coverage.

Those who miss the Sept. 16 deadline will not be eligible for 2008 supplemental disaster assistance programs. Contact your local USDA Farm Service Center for additional information on Disaster Assistance Programs.

Take Part In Community Events Today!

EKCC pistol team places 3rd in state meet

The Eastern Kentucky Correctional Complex Pistol Team, above, competed in the KCCD Pistol Tournament in Louisville Sept. 2 and placed third In the competition against correctional agencies from throughout the state. The team has been among the best at the annual tournament for the past ten years, placing first seven times. Team members are, from left, Ben Howard, Shane Nickell, Matthew Lawson, Ed Manning, Erica Brown, Mike Helton, Jackie Wright, John Prater, Terry Vest, and Jay Rowland.

Middle School cheerleading squad

Morgan County Middle School's 2008-2009 cheerleading squad leads the cheering for the varsity football and girls basketball teams. Coached by Angela Lunsford and Tina Fannin, they are, from left, front, Leah Oldfield, Libby Smith, Heather Haney, Tiffany Beene; middle row: Kaylee Rowe, Cortney Ross, Kaitlynn Hopkins, Tuwania Conley; back, Cheyanne Henry, Chelsea Dorton, and Savannah Jo Johnson. Other members of the team not pictured are Megan Gross, Alex Gullett, and Becky Bailey.

Grand Prix Table Tennis

Round Robin tournament this Saturday at Center

By Mike Crase

Grand Prix Table Tennis will present the first annual Giant Round Robin Tournament this Saturday at the Morgan County Community Center with a 2:00 p.m. start time. Applicants can e-mail us or call us to register for the event, or show up at 1:30 at the Community Center for late registration. The Giant Round Robin will feature an Open Championship, for anyone who would like to play, and a 2000 and under bracket for beginners to intermediate level players. "We're really excited about the prospect of drawing in new players with this event," says GPTT President Byron Risner. "Several local schools are working with us to promote the sport and the league. The Giant Round Robin provides the perfect opportunity for the first time table tennis player to get a feel for the sport." The event will start at 2:00 p.m. and the participation fee will be $5.00 per person. GPTT encourages the public to try the sport or to join us as spectators. First through third place trophies will be awarded to winners in each division.

At the August 12, 2008 Tuesday Pong meet 'The Joker' Greg Helton captured his fourth GPTT Championship from 'The Legend' Byron Risner in a grueling match that went to the seventh and final game. The Joker has to be viewed as one of GPTT's all-time greats with his recent victories and overall career resume.

The Legend regained the title for the 65th time at the August 19 Tuesday Pong meet by beating new Pride Champion "Dr. L" Les Ramsey to win the vacant title, The Joker had to take a leave of absense due to surgery. GPTT wishes this great player and sportsman a speedy recovery and return to action. He has certainly given the league a huge boost in 2008. "Dr. L" Les Ramsey also won the Pride Championship (his first) and has quickly risen to the top as one of GPTT's elite.

'Tex' Cody Risner won his 19th Pride Championship from 'Dr. L' Les Ramsey at the Agust 26th Tuesday Pong as he continues to add to one of the greatest resumes in GPTT history. GPTT Champion The Legend held off Tex to retain the league championship four games to one. Isaiah Prater continues to hold on to the Challenge Championship and is doing a phenominal job as champ. GPTT will present the third annual Deja Vu meet this Friday at Wheel Rim, KY, at 8:00 pm, at O.J. Crase Hall. There will be two main events, one of the main events will feature The Reaper vs. Johnathan Howard for the WTTA Championship in a best of 13 series. Limited seating is available for the event, so make plans to attend now.

For more information call 606-662-6332, or 606-662-4012, or e-mail us at gptt1@yahoo.com.

LADDER RESULTS:
August 12, 2008
(9) Isaiah Prater beat (10) Wesley Howard 11-8, 17-15
(5) Les Ramsey beat (7) Isaiah Prater 11-8, 11-8
(5) Les Ramsey beat (4) John Howard 11-5, 11-6
(5) Les Ramsey beat (3) Cody Risner 11-8, 11-8
(1) Pride Champ Greg Helton beat (5) Les Ramsey 12-14, 11-9, 11-6, 4-11, 11-8
(1) Price Champ Greg Helton beat (C) Champion Byron Risner 11-9, 3-11, 3-11, 4-11, 11-8, 11-8, 11-8
New GPTT Champion: Greg Helton (4 games to 3)
August 19, 2008
(10) Greg Howard beat (9) Wesley Howard 11-2, 11-6
(10) Greg Howard beat (7) Isaiah Prater 11-2, 11-6
* Non ladder Challenge Champion Isaiah Prater beat Wesley Howard 15-13, 7-11, 12-10
(2) Les Ramsey beat (10) Greg Howard 11-6, 12-10, 6-11, 11-7 to become the new Pride Champion
For the vacant GPTT Title: (1) Byron Risner beat (2) Les Ramsey 11-8, 11-7, 11-8, 11-7
New GPTT Champion: The Legend (4 games to 0)
August 26, 2008:
(7) Isaiah Prater beat (11) Scotty Dunn 11-2, 11-3
(4) Cody Risner beat (7) Isaiah Prater 11-8, 11-6
(4) Cody Risner beat (1) Pride Champion Les Ramsey 11-8, 11-5, 6-11, 8-11, 12-10 (New Pride Champ)
(C) Byron Risner beat (1) Pride Champion Cody Risner 11-7, 8-11, 11-8, 13-11, 11-9 (Legend wins 4-1)
September 2, 2008:
(9) Scotty Dunn beat (14) Kyle Preston 11-1, 11-6
(12) Wesley Howard beat (9) Scotty Dunn 11-6, 11-7
(5) Langley Franklin beat (12) Wesley Howard 11-5, 11-2
(4) Greg Howard beat (5) Langley Franklin 11-7, 11-8
(1) Pride Champion Cody Risner beat (4) Greg Howard 11-4, 11-7, 9-11, 11-4
(C) Champion Byron Risner beat (1) Pride Champion Cody Risner 12-10, 11-5, 11-6, 11-3 (Legend wins 4-0)
GPTT TOP 10
GPTT Champion: Byron Risner 4739 / 72-28
1. Pride Champion: Cody Risner 4467/ 54-42
2. Les Ramsey 4428/ 22-17
3. Greg Howard 4310/ 27-18
4. Langley Franklin 4160/ 21-13
5. Greg Helton 4621/ 42-32
6. Challenge Champion: Isaiah Prater 3351/ 12-13
7. Johnathan Howard 4023/ 21-19
8. Josh May 4428/ 31-20
9. Wesley Howard 3054 /13-21
10. Scotty Dunn 2604/ 8-10

MCMS ...

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a TD, and the Cougars never looked back. Team rushing totals were 149 yards on 18 attempts. Collins had 29 yards and one PAT on six carries; Crase had 50 yards and one PAT on three carries; Holbrook had 33 yards and two TD's on four carries, and Jordan "the workhorse" Whitt had 40 yards and one TD on four carries. Kody Thornsberry had three yards on one successful PAT play.

The Cougar JV team also remains undefeated with a record of 4-0. Both Cougar teams will be back in action tonight at Herdman Field to take on the Simons Middle School Cougars. Kickoff time for the JV game will be at 6:00. Between games there will be a ceremony to recognize the Cougar 8th grade players and cheerleaders. This game will feature a re-match of a tough JV playoff game last year in which Morgan hung on to win 14-8, thanks to a tough goal line stand at the end of regulation play. It should make for an evening of exciting football. Everyone come out and support the Cougars.

Tennis ...

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Men's B Singles also boasted a strong field of 15 and the final match pitted Kent Kalb (Fleming) against Steve McKenzie (Morgan). Kalb defeated McKenzie by a score of 6-1, 6-0.

The Men's Novice Division saw Isaac Allen (Morgan) defeat William Holbrook (Cougar Tennis member) in the final with a score of 6-3, 7-5.

Men's Doubles were packed as well with 14 players. In the final, the team of Addison Whitt (MCHS principal) and Mark Kidd (Rowan) defeated father and son team David Joe Litteral and Joseph Litteral (Cougar tennis member), 6-1, 6-4.

Turning to the Women's Division play, in the finals of A Singles from a field of eight players, Danielle Clark (Cougar tennis member) defeated Hope Litteral Phipps, 6-1. (Hope retired in the second set due to an injury). Last year, Danielle won the B Singles and as a result was moved to the A division.

In the field of ten players, the Women's B Singles final pitted Betsy Kalb (Fleming) against Sudha Challa (Rowan). Kalb defeated Challa, 6-4, 7-5.

The Women's Novice division saw sisters Leah and Arin Oldfield in the final match. Both girls are members of the Cougar Tennis Team. Leah defeated Arin in a tiebreak by the score of 9-8(7-5).

Women's Doubles were packed with 11 teams and in the final, Coach Oldfield and Cougar team member Emily McKenzie met fellow teammates Danielle Clark and Monika McCowan. The girls enjoyed the competition with Oldfield and McKenzie defeating Clark/ McCowan, 6-0, 6-0.

Mixed Doubles proved to be very competitive and also a popular division with 13 teams. Many were husband/wife and brother/sister teams but in the finals Coach Oldfield and Tom Collins were pitted against Emily McKenzie and Orville Litteral. It was a heated battle but Oldfield/ Collins won, 6-2, 6-0.

The event could not be possible without the kind monetary support of our sponsors. Thanks to West Liberty Tourism Commercial Bank, Bank of the Mountains, Licking Valley RECC, Wells Group, Kiwanis Club, Rotary Club, Frederick & May Lumber, Mountain Telephone, Morgan County ARH, Morgan County Farm Bureau, Robert Henderson, Giovanni's Pizza, Peyton's Pharmacy, and County Propane.

Thanks to our parents who helped with concessions, our principal for measuring nets and getting the courts ready, a certain brother for those great brackets we posted, and to EKCC for getting the grounds mowed. We especially want to thank our tournament director, Ann Henderson, who without her weeks of work this event would not have been possible. Thanks to and Janis Williams and Sandy Pelfrey for the bracket pairings and along with Tommy and Gwana Hill, all of whom spent countless hours keeping scores and assigning courts,

It was a packed two days with 83 matches, and while many left exhausted, everyone left with memories of an enjoyable event that centered around a sport they love.

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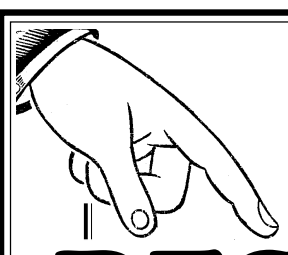

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Bids may be mailed to the Morgan County Rescue Squad, 412 Dogwood Lane, West Liberty, KY 41472, or given to the secretary at the Morgan County Ambulance Service during normal business hours. The boat may be viewed at the Morgan County Rescue Squad building. For additional information call 743-7740 or 743-7395.

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(Pub. Sept. 11, 18, 25)

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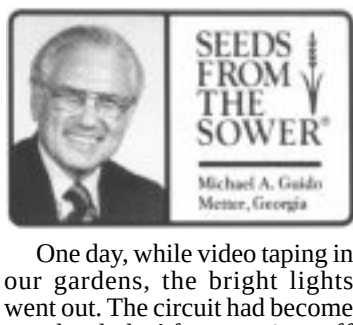
West Liberty Church of God Ladies Auxillary, led by Zula Johnson, have been faithful volunteers at West Liberty Nursing and Rehabilitation Center for years. The West Liberty Church of God nursing home ministry has become very special to the staff, residents, family members of the facility. During their weekly visit, they have a teaching lesson along with singing, prayer, testimony, prayer requests and fellowlship with the residents and staff. This group has seen several residents come to the Lord during services. They work with their Pastor Gary Fields who, along with other church members, will come to the facility and baptize residents as they wish. The group also sends sympathy cards to families of residents who have passed away along with a Bible through the Gideons. We appreciate this ministry for helping to provide for the spiritual needs of our residents.

"Pride Clean-Up" volunteers, first row, left to right, Gina Cole, Cheryl McGraw, Lisa Lewis, Pam Williams, and Donna Leach. Back row, left to right, Barry Allen, and Kevin Whitaker.

'Pride Clean-Up' volunteers collect 360 pounds of garbage

There were seven volunteers who participated in the "Pride Clean-Up" that was held from April 5th-April 19th from the West Liberty Service Center, Morgan County Conservation District, and Division of Consevation.

During the two hours of the clean-up a total of 360 pounds of garbage and tires from the top of the hill of the Morgan County Fairgrounds to the bottom and down Rt. 172 to 460 was collected and taken to the West Liberty Sanitation Center.



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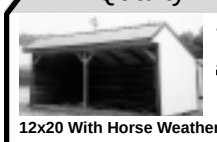
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AREA DEATHS

Brenda Jo Vest

Brenda Jo Oldfield Vest of Lower Nickell Branch, Hazel Green, Ky., passed away Sunday, September 7, 2008, at the University of Louisville Hospital, Louisville, Ky., at the age of 62 years, 6 months, and 12 days. She was born on Tuesday, February 26, 1946, in Morgan County, Ky., a daughter of the late Walter and Elizabeth Allen Oldfield.

She was united in marriage to Walter Thomas Vest. To this union were born three children, Regina, Tomika, and Walter Thomas, Jr. She was a retired secretary from the Morgan County Middle School.

In addition to her parents, Walter and Elizabeth Oldfield, Brenda was preceded in death by her son, Tommy, Jr.; and her grandparents, Bill and Ida Oldfield and Elijah and Ethel Allen.

She is survived by her loving husband, Tom; two daughters, Regina Fritsch of Georgetown, Ky., and John Fritsch of Paris, Ky., and Tomika and Rusty Goble of Debord, Ky.; five grandchildren, Ashley Katherine Fritsch, Lauren Camille Goble, Matthew Thomas Fritsch, Samantha Paige Goble, and Russell Weston Goble; one sister, Janie and Jack Adkins of West Liberty; sisters-in-law and brothers-in-law, Juanita Vest, Lois Klapheke, William and Ruth Vest, Ira and Brenda Vest, and Gay Fleming.

Memorial services for both Brenda and her son, Tommy, Jr., will be conducted at 7:00 p.m., Thursday, September 11, 2008, at the Morgan County Middle School Gym with Rev. Garrie Stamper officiating. Visitation from 4:30-7:00 p.m. Thursday, September 11, 2008, at the Morgan County Middle School gym.

Memorials suggested to: Tommy Vest Memorial Fund, c/o Bank of the Mountians, P.O. Box 309, West Liberty, Ky. 41472 ATTN. Novella Gullett.

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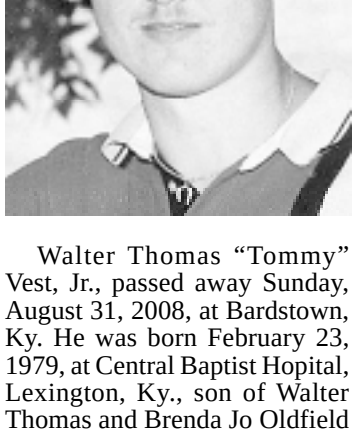
Tommy Vest



Walter Thomas "Tommy" Vest, Jr., passed away Sunday, August 31, 2008, at Bardstown, Ky. He was born February 23, 1979, at Central Baptist Hopital, Lexington, Ky., son of Walter Thomas and Brenda Jo Oldfield Vest.

Tommy was a farmer and also worked as a veterinarian assistant at the West Liberty Veterinary Clinic. He had a great love for his horses, farming, and caring for animals.

Tommy was preceded in death by his paternal grandparents, Tom Henry and Cora Vest; his maternal grandparents, Walter and Elizabeth Oldfield; his great-grandparents, Bill and Ida Oldfield and Jim and Anna Vest.

He is survived by his father, Tom Vest; two sisters, Regina and John Fitsch, Paris, Ky. and Tomika and Rusty Goble, Debord, Ky.; nieces and nephews, Ashley Kathern Fitsch, Lauren Camille Goble, Matthew Thomas Fitsch, Samanth Paige Goble, and Russell Goble; aunts and uncles, Janie and Jack Adkins, West Liberty, Ky., Juanita Vest, Hazel Green, Ky., Lois Klapheke, Lexington, Ky., Gay Fleming, Louisville, Ky., William and Ruth Vest, Ezel, Ky., and Ira and Brenda Vest, Sandy Hook, Ky.

Memorial services for both Tommy and his mother, Brenda Jo Vest, will be conducted at 7:00 p.m., Thursday, September 11, 2008, at the Morgan County Middle School Gym with Rev. Garrie Stamper officiating. Visitation from 4:30-7:00 p.m. Thursday, September 11, 2008, at the Morgan County Middle School gym.

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Anthony Lee Ferguson

Anthony Lee Ferguson, age 42, of Meadow Lane, Morehead, Kentucky, passed away Friday, September 5, 2008, at his residence.

He was born January 10, 1966, in Paintsville, Kentucky, a son of the Rev. Lowell H. Ferguson and the late Erma Skaggs Ferguson.

Anthony is survived by his wife of 21years, Teresa Ratliff Ferguson; two daughters, Danielle Nicole Ferguson and Alexis Brooke Ferguson, both at home; his father, Lowell H. (Elsie) Ferguson of West Liberty, Kentucky; two brothers, Jerry (Penny) Ferguson of Elk Fork, Kentucky, and Joey (Charlene) Ferguson of West Liberty, Kentucky; one twin sister, Angela (Emerson) Ferguson of West Liberty, Kentucky; one sister-in-law, Sheenie Ferguson of Breeden, West Virginia; and many nieces and nephews.

Besides his mother, he was preceded in death by one brother, Gary Ferguson.

Anthony was a graduate of Morgan County High School and earned an Associate Degree in Applied Science at Morehead State University. He coached youth sports, was an artist, and played basketball and golf. He was employed as a project manager with Murphy Graves Architects.

Anthony accepted the Lord as his personal Savior on June 14, 1985. He was received in the Open Fork United Baptist Church on July 2, 1985, where he had served as clerk since 1991.

Anthony was a loving and devoted husband, father, son, and brother. His warm smile and kind heart touched the lives of all who knew him. He was a true testament of Christianity, which he demonstrated throughout his life.

Funeral services were conducted 11:00 a.m. Tuesday, September 9, 2008, at Northcutt & Son Home for Funerals Memorial Chapel, Morehead, with Rev. Roger Ball, Rev. James Wallin, Rev. John G. Pelfrey and Rev. Willis Estep officiating.

Burial was in the Anthony Ison Cemetery on Highway 1715, West Liberty, Kentucky.

Pallbearers: Darrell Fraley, Chris Fraley, Tim Ball, Chris Ferguson, Brandon Ferguson, Scotty Ferguson, Mike Ferguson, Brian Ferguson, Chris Howell and Brent Ratliff.

View or sign guestbook at HYPERLINK "http://www.northcuttandson.com" www.northcuttandson.com

Homer E. Patrick

Homer E. Patrick, 86, of Beavercreek, Ohio, died Wednesday, August 27, 2008.

Born August 29, 1921, in Wolfe County, Kentucky, Homer was a son of the late Ben and Emma Haddix Patrick.

He owned and operated Homer's Garage, in Beavercreek, for 26 years, and was a World War II veteran serving with the United States Army.

Survivors include his wife of 62 years, Lola Frances Patrick; four children, Darrell Patrick, of Dayton, Ohio, Donovan (Janet) Patrick, of Huber Heights, Ohio, David (Susan) Patrick, of Morehead; and Emma Kay (Jerry) Patterson, of Miamisburg, Ohio; many grandchildren and great grandchildren; two sisters, Irene Johnston, of Mansfield, Ohio, and Marie McGuire, of West Liberty; one brother, Everette Patrick.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a daughter, Shirley Tootle; one sister, Hazel Johnson; three brothers, Herman, Arnold, and Franklin Patrick; two infant siblings, Imogene and Ernest.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Saturday, August 30, at Newcomer Funeral Home, Beavercreek Chapel, with Pastor Jerry Siler officiating. Burial followed in Mt. Zion Shoup Cemetery, with Newcomer Funeral Home, Beavercreek, Ohio, in charge of arrangements.

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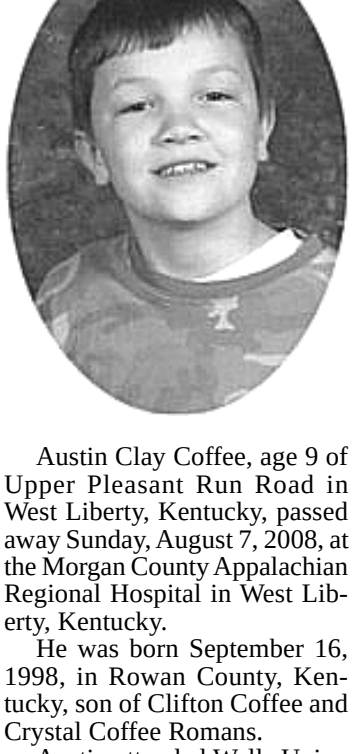


Austin Clay Coffee, age 9 of Upper Pleasant Run Road in West Liberty, Kentucky, passed away Sunday, August 7, 2008, at the Morgan County Appalachian Regional Hospital in West Liberty, Kentucky.

He was born September 16, 1998, in Rowan County, Kentucky, son of Clifton Coffee and Crystal Coffee Romans.

Austin attended Wells Union Church and was in the 4th grade at West Liberty Elementary School.

He was preceded in death by his paternal great-grandparents, Clayton and Melovee Coffee and Peggy Tharp, and maternal great-grandfathers, Roy Mitchell and Paul Bolin.

Surviving are his father, Clifton Coffee of West Liberty, Ky.; his mother, Crystal Coffee Romans; step-father, Wendell Romans both of West Liberty, Ky.; paternal grandparents, McKinley and Myrtle Coffee of West Liberty, Ky.; maternal grandparents, Richard and Phyllis Mitchell of Ezel, Ky.; maternal great-grandmothers, Bernice Mitchell of Beamount, Texas, and Betty Bolin of Crockett, Ky.; paternal great-grandfather, Charles Tharp of West Liberty, Ky.; one brother, Hunter Romans of West Liberty, Ky., and very special cousin, Kaleb Cummins of West Liberty, Ky.

Funeral Services were conducted at 11:00 am, Wednesday, September 10, 2008, at Herald & Stewart & Halsey Chapel with Bro. Jimmy Conley and Jimmie Tharp officiating. Interment in the Robinson Cemetery at Upper Pleasant Run Road in West Liberty, Ky., with Herald & Stewart & Halsey Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers: Jessie Keeton, Tyler Tharp, Charlie Conley, Dustin Tharp, Wendell Romans, Josh Mitchell & Dakota Tharp.

Viola F. Cookston

Viola Clarice Fannin Cookston, 97, of Levelland, Texas, died Tuesday, Aug. 12, 2008, at Levelland Nursing Home.

Mrs. Cookston was born May 1, 1911, in West Liberty, Kentucky, a daughter of the late James Frank and Lyda B. McGuire Fannin.

She moved to Illinois and lived with her grandparents after her mother's death in 1915. Viola graduated from Wapella High School, in Wapella, Illinois, in 1929. She moved to Shallowater in 1930 and married Cecil Cookston on August 10, 1933, in Clovis, New Mexico. He died in 1990.

She spent 10 years in Chocktaw, Oklahoma, returning to this area of Texas in 1945, where she resided until moving to Keota, Oklahoma, in 1975. She moved back to Hockley County in 1999.

In addition to her parents and husband, Viola was preceded in death by a son, Monte Cookston, in 1998; and a brother, Farris Virgil Fannin, in 1972.

She was a Baptist and an active member of her church wherever she lived.

Survivors include a son, Duane (Butch) Cookston, of Morton, Texas; a daughter-in-law, Hazel Rhea Cookston, of Levelland, Texas; two sisters, Lorena Smith, of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, and Rosalie Welch, of Keota Oklahoma; two granddaughters, Candace Lee Howard and Carma Dee Patterson; and four great grandchildren, Seth Howard, Shaynee Howard, Cade Patterson, and Calli Patterson.

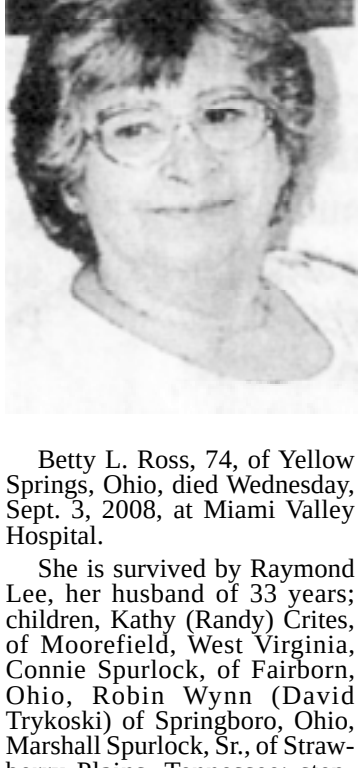
Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Friday, August. 15, at Fairview Baptist Church, with Rev. Syl More, of Lubbock, Texas, Rev. Gil Ramirez, pastor of Park Drive Baptist Church, and Rev. D.J. Lewis, pastor of Fairview Baptist Church officiating. Burial followed in City of Levelland Cemetery under the direction of George Price Funeral Home, Levelland, Texas.

WORDS OF WISDOM

Keep away from people who try to belittle your amibtions. Small people always do that, but the really great make you feel that you, too, can become great.

– Mark Twain
Humorist and writer

Betty L. Ross



Betty L. Ross, 74, of Yellow Springs, Ohio, died Wednesday, Sept. 3, 2008, at Miami Valley Hospital.

She is survived by Raymond Lee, her husband of 33 years; children, Kathy (Randy) Crites, of Moorefield, West Virginia, Connie Spurlock, of Fairborn, Ohio, Robin Wynn (David Trykoski) of Springboro, Ohio, Marshall Spurlock, Sr., of Strawberry Plains, Tennessee; stepchildren, Vicki (Larry) Schrul, of Middletown, Ohio, Randy (Bonnie) Ross, of Greenville, Ohio, Sandy (Mike) Hynes, of Middletown, Ohio; grandchildren, Annette (Scott) McLaughlin, of Morristown, Tennessee, Angela (David) Bonin, of Fairborn, Ohio, Justin and Tara Stacy, of Kettering, Ohio, Marshall (Amanda), Matt, and Dillon Spurlock, of Strawberry Plains, Tennessee; step-grandchildren, Michael Hynes, Tony and Brandon Ross, Tyler and Justin Shrul, all of Middletown, Ohio; 9 great grandchildren, and 1 great, great grandson; brothers, Arkie (Emma Sue) Williams, of Beavercreek, Ohio, Archie (Lena) Williams, of Fairborn, Ohio, and Russell Williams, of Somerset.

She was preceded in death by her parents, James Manford and Flossie Dawson Williams; a brother, Raymond Williams; three sisters, Letha Williams, Georgia Humphreys, and Helen Brooks; and a step-daughter, Jerri Ross.

The family would like to give special thanks to sister-in-law, Marie Williams; brothers-in-law, William Humphreys and Bear Brooks; and Jeannie Mattingly; the nurses of the pulmonary ward 3 west at Miami Valley Hospital; and Dr. Randall Fulcherio.

Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m. Friday, Sept. 5, at Newcomer Funeral Home, Dayton, Ohio, with burial following in Byron Cemetery.

To leave the family a special message, please visit www.NewcomerDayton.com.

Wendell R. Nickell

Wendell Ray Nickell, 82, died Thursday, Aug. 21, 2008, at Wewahitchka, Florida.

Born March 3, 1926, in Morgan County, Kentucky, he was a son of the late Alonzo and Dora Nickell.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a sister, Carrie Mae; three brothers, Bertal J., Cecil K., and Oscar Clay.

Survivors include three children, Ted, of Florida, Doug, of Oregon, and Sandra, of Afganistan; two brothers, Charles A., of Chillicothe, Ohio, and Darrell Gray, of Florida; two sisters, Mattie Faye, of Perrysburg, Ohio, and Rhoda Gay, of Branson, Missouri.

He was cremated in Florida. Wendell will be missed by all who knew and loved him.

(Submitted by sister, Rhoda Salman, of Branson, Missouri)

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AREA DEATHS

Sue R. Fullen

Loreka Sue Ratliff Fullen had won many victories in her lifetime in the field of Special Education but the 59-year-old retired educator and wife of former Matewan, West Virginia Mayor John W. Fullen lost a two-year battle with leukemia Wednesday, Aug. 27, 2008.

Her affliction was in remission for 18 months and she had even been considering an offer of a computer position which would have had her traveling extensively in the United States with regard to Special and Regular Education.

With her husband at her side, Sue departed from an earthly existence but with a belief in eternal life offered her as a Christian. Death came in the Ohio State University Medical Center, in Columbus, Ohio.

Fullen spoke feelingly of his wife's desire for baptism, although she had been a Presbyterian for most of her life. "She had this conviction that she should be baptised and talked with one of her brothers in Lexington, Ky." he said. "She had been taking medical treatment at Logan General Hospital recently and, afterwards, I drove her to Lexington where the minister of Southland Christian Church, her brothers and a large congregation waited at the church.

"We reached Lexington about 7:30 p.m. and my wife, Sue Ratliff Fullen, realized her wish-- she was baptized at the church," he recalled. "She knew she had lived a good life and was a Christian, but there was something missing. Her baptism removed her concerns and she died with joy in her heart."

She was born September 25, 1948, at Mt. Sterling, Kentucky, a daughter of Mary Lou McGuire Ratliff, of Lexington, Ky., formerly of Ezel, and the late Edison Ratliff.

Sue graduated from Ezel High School in 1966. She graduated from Pikeville College with degree. On to Morehead State for her Masters. She also had other degrees from Marshall University, Huntington, West Virginia.

The marriage of Sue and Fullen took place in 1977 in Nassau. The Bahamas, and the couple returned there 25 years later as they renewed their marital vows.

The well-educated Sue (Ratliff) Fullen was a business teacher in Baltimore, Ohio, for 11 years prior to migrating to Mingo County with her husband. He later became mayor of Matewan, West Virginia from 1984 to 1998 (14 years), and then spent four years as a member of the Mingo County Board of Education, which he served two years as president. He is currently involved in Human Relations as an employee of Universal Coal in the Pigeon Creek area of this county.

Sue held various positions in Mingo County schools. She began as a Gifted Education teacher in the Matewan area on Sept. 1, 1982, moving to the Special Education office of the board of education in 1989. She served as a Secondary Curriculum director for some years, retiring as Special Education director on Sept. 5, 2007.

"She really loved Special Education," said Fullen. "The highlight of her career was when kids would return to her (and a lot of them did), and told her what an influence she had been on their lives. There were several teachers, a doctor, a lawyer and others working different jobs with great success, all because of Sue, the teacher who cared about their welfare."

Most recently, he said, Sue received a card from a Williamson woman, Wilma Jean Martin, her daughter and granddaughter, telling Sue how much she had meant in her daughter's career. "This recognition meant so much to her."

While teaching in the Gifted Education program, Sue would take her students to New York and other states to participate in various events. "She and her students got word at Matewan High School and saw photos of starving kids in Africa. They got busy and raised money to help the needy children, contacting Rep. Nick J. Rahall (D-W.Va.), who came down to accept a check for the money raised and to see that it reached those in need. Those kids who raised the money named themselves 'The Kids That Care.'" Fullen said his wife treasured a jewelry box that some of her students had given her, keeping the box on her dresser in the bedroom.

She belonged to the county, state and national education associations; served on a lot of committees through the years, and attended numerous seminars. She had not planned to retire until later this year, but her disease dictated earlier retirement. She also worked with committees on historical recognition for her town, and was active in other endeavors.

Surviving are her husband of 31 years; her mother, Mary Lou Ratliff, of Lexington, and two brothers, Darrell and Frank Ratliff, both of Lexington.

In addition to her father, Sue was preceded in death by a sister, Donna Ratliff.

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 30, at Chambers Funeral Home, in Matewan, West Virginia. Final resting place was Mountain View Memory Gardens, at Matewan, West Virginia.

Pallbearers were her husband, John Fullen, her brothers, Darrell and Frank Ratliff, her nephews, Hunter, Jason, and Nick Ratliff, and Marvin Jones.

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David Zachary Gevedon

David Zachary "Zach" Gevedon of West Liberty, Ky., passed away Monday, September 1, 2008, at the St. Mary's Hospital, Huntington, W.Va., at the age of 16 years, 10 months, and 27 days.

He was born on Saturday, October 5, 1991, in Morehead, Ky., son of Helen Hill Gevedon and Roger David Gevedon.

He was a Junior at Morgan County High School. Academically, he was a good student. Always eager to help people, he had planned a career in medicine. Zach excelled as a member of the Chess Team, winning numerous trophies. In 2007, he placed 4th in the state during the Kentucky State Championship. He was a devoted animal lover. Zach enjoyed fishing, swimming, four-wheeling, and playing pool.

Zach was preceded in death by his maternal grandfather, William Elwood Hill.

He is survived by his mother, Helen Hill Gevedon of West Liberty, Ky.; his father, Roger David Gevedon and wife Nicki, Piqua,Ohio; one brother, Ethan Gevedon; his grandparents, Nannie Hill and Bobby and Janice Gevedon, all of West Liberty, Ky.; one uncle, Craig Hill and wife Cassie; one aunt, Debbie and Victor Elam; cousins, Shawn Elam, Bobbi Jo Wright, BreAnna Hill, Glen Hill, Jacob Hill, and Staci Jones, and numerous great-aunts and uncles.

Funeral service was at 11:00 a.m., Wednesday, September 3, 2008, at the Potter Funeral Home with Rev. James Wallin and Rev. Mike Frisby officiating. Potter Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers: Family and friends.

Honorary Pallbearers: Morgan County High School Junior Class.

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Words cannot express our gratitude to our family and many friends for the kindness during the illness and passing of our loved one, Henry Ray Perkins. The support of so many friends and relatives have made our burden a little easier to bear. Thank you to Rev. Justin Key, Morgan County DAV, the pallbearers, and everyone who had a part in the funeral service. Our deep appreciation to all who came by the funeral home during visitation and those attending the funeral. Thanks, also, to everyone for the floral arrangements and memorial contributions in Henry's name. Special thanks to Potter Funeral Home and staff for their kind and efficient service.

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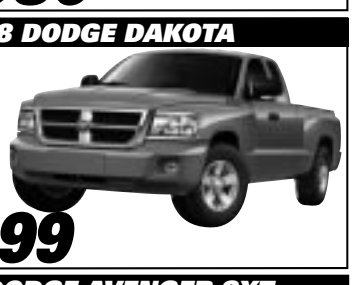

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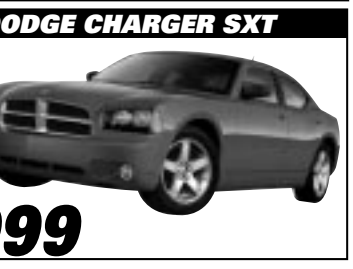

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AREA DEATHS

Denzil Nickell

Denzil Nickell, 84, of Fairborn, Ohio, went home to be with the Lord on Wednesday, Sept. 3, 2008.

He was born at Cannel City, Kentucky, on July 12, 1924, a son of the late William G. and Ora F. Haney Nickell.

Denzil was a member of First Dayton Free Will Baptist Church, of Dayton, Ohio. After proudly serving his country in the United States Army during World War II, Denzil went on to retire from General Motors after 42 years.

He is survived by his wife of 62 years, Nell (Burton) Nickell; three children, Carol (Glenn) Robinson, of Huber Heights, Ohio, Jennifer Robbins, of Fairborn, Ohio, and William (Joy) Nickell, of Casstown, Ohio; seven grandchildren, Tina (Jon) Keeton, of High Point, North Carolina, Becky (Scott) Barton, of Beavercreek, Ohio, Lori Nickell, of Casstown, Ohio, Kathy (Larry) Rike, of Fairborn, Ohio, Kris (Leslie) Robinson, of Fairborn, Ohio, Amy Robinson, of Huber Heights, Ohio, and David (Elizabeth) Nickell, of Kettering, Ohio; eight great grandchildren, Jacob Keeton, Noah Keeton, and Simon Keeton, all of High Point, North Carolina, Brianna Rike, Braden Rike, Anna Robinson, Katie Roguski, all of Fairborn, Ohio, Ashley Barton, of Beavercreek, Ohio; five sisters, Lavodis Walton, of Fairborn, Ohio, Lillian Perkins, of Malone, Katherine Eichenlaw, of Springfield, Ohio, Loredith Rudd, of North Vernon, Indiana, and Elizabeth McPherson, of Fairborn, Ohio; two brothers, Edsel Nickell, of Fairborn, Ohio, and James Nickell, of Lexington.

He was preceded in death by two brothers, Ventis Nickell and Emzel Nickell.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 6, at Belton-Stroup Funeral Home, Fairborn, Ohio. Burial followed in Byron Cemetery, Fairborn, Ohio, with Belton-Stroup Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

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James B. Henry

James B. Henry, 75, of Greentown, Indiana, died at 6:20 a.m. Sunday, Aug. 24, 2008, at his home.

He was born April 29, 1933, at Bonnie, Kentucky, a son of the late William P. Henry and Oney McGuire Henry.

On Sept. 1, 1954, in West Liberty, Kentucky, he married Etta J. Watkins Henry and she survives.

He served in the U.S. Army from 1950 to 1953.

Henry retired as a self-employed contractor and had lived in and around Greentown since 1966. He loved to work with wood.

Survivors include his wife, Etta J. (Watkins) Henry; children, Gary and Kathy (Henry) Hunt, Rick and Sandy (Henry) Walters, Glen and Alvenia (Henry) Guge, Mark and Debbie (John) Henry, Craig and Becky (Armstrong) Henry, all of Greentown, Indiana; two grandsons, Jeremy and Hillary Cecil, of Kokomo, Indiana, and James Guge, of Greentown, Indiana; four great grandchildren, Morgan, Cecil, James D. and Joshua D. Cecil, and Aleecia Guge; two brothers, Asa Henry, of Ohio, and Woodford Henry, of Kentucky; and six sisters, Maxine Harbaum, Pauline Helton, Helen Martin, Betty Hodson, Nellavene Roe, and Phyllis Hayes, all of Ohio; and also several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by one brother, Milford Henry; and one daughter, Karen Wilson.

Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m. Wednesday, Aug. 27, at Hasler-Stout Funeral Home, in Greentown, with Pastor Chuck Armstrong officiating. Burial followed in Simpson Cemetery, in Greentown, Indiana, with Hasler-Stout Funeral Home, of Greentown, Indiana, in charge of arrangements.

Memorial contributions were suggested to Guardian Angel Hospice.

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WORDS OF WISDOM

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– Thomas Babington Macaulay
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James Roy Cox

James Roy Cox of West Liberty, KY, passed away Monday, September 8, 2008 at Morgan County ARH, West Liberty, KY, at the age of 66 years, 11 months, and 16 days. He was born on Tuesday, September 23, 1941 at Pomp, KY, son of Eva Lillian Adkins Cox and the late Walter Scott Cox.

He was united in marriage to Patricia DeHart. To this union was born two children, Kimberly Renee and Jeremy James. He was a retired farmer and truck driver.

In addition to his father, James Roy was preceded in death by and uncle, Randolph Cox; his grandparents, Russell and Telia Cox and Roy and Prudie Adkins; and nephew, Anthony Jared Harper.

He is survived by his loving wife, Patricia; two children, Kimberly Renee and Brian Cook of Centerville, OH and Jeremy Cox and fiancé' Brittany Terry of West Liberty; his mother, Eva Cox of West Liberty; two grandchildren, Patrick Neal Miller and Chelsea Renee Cook; one sister, Pam and Anthony Harper of West Liberty; one niece, Heather Harper; two sisters-in-law and brothers-in-law, Winston and Shirley Gullett of Stacy Fork and Robert and Faye Hutchinson of West Liberty; and a special brother-in-law, Darrell DeHart of West Liberty.

Funeral service 12:00 p.m., Thursday, September 11, 2008, at the Potter Funeral Home with Rev. Johnny Dagnan and Rev. Eugene Haney officiating. Burial in the Henry and Perry Cemetery, West Liberty, KY. Visitation 6:00 p.m., Wednesday, September 10, 2008 at the Potter Funeral Home.

Pallbearers: Henry B. Collins, Robert Hutchinson, Kiser Elam, Jackie Brown, Winston Gullett, Anthony Harper, Lonnie Gibson, and Herky Allen.

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My favorite fall smell in years past was the smell from my mother-in-law, Lena Black's kitchen, as she prepared her famous dinner on Saturday of the Sorghum Festival and invited everyone to stop by and eat. I was always amazed at the fact that some of the best dishes she prepared only required just a few simple ingredients. It was always a special day because there was always family in for the festival. As friends began to stop in to eat, get a snack, or just a drink of water, to say hello, catch up on family happenings or watch the parade. By the time the parade was over there would be a huge crowd gathered reminiscing, visiting, and having a wonderful time, and Lena, or Granny as I always called her, would be busy making sure everyone had plenty to eat and was made to feel like one of the family.

Granny won't be with us this year for the festival. Her wonderful meal and warm welcome that so many have enjoyed in years past will be sadly missed.

Having stayed with us in our home about the last eight months of her life, Granny still came to the table almost every morning for breakfast with her smile and the enthusiasm she had for life, and she would make the comment to her daughter, "You sure have got things smelling good". I am so thankful Granny passed so many of her traits on to her daughter, Lesley Black Riggsby.

Even though Granny won't be with us this year, she has left behind a wonderful recipe that only calls for a few simple ingredients that we all have to make our lives and communities as special and meaningful as Granny's wonderful dinners. So as a tribute to this very special person who gave so much to Morgan County, I would like to ask that sometime during the festival this year you would take time to reflect on years past, and remember as we move forward in the years ahead we will be building the future our kids and grandkids will be living in, and that some of the most important things in our lives and communities that bind us together as a strong family and strong county calls only for simple ingredients from each one of us being put together.

--Stanley Riggsby
(pd)

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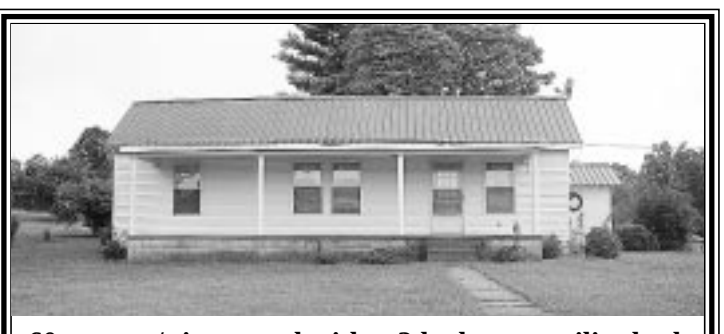

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MORGAN COUNTY FOOTBALL

Offensive woes plague Cougars

By David Patrick

Morgan County coach Jake Purnell had high hopes for the first two weeks of the high school football season. Obviously, a 47-point loss to Rowan County and a 43-point blowout at the hands of Powell County was not part of the plan.

"As bad as we played against Rowan, we played even worse at Powell County," said Purnell Monday. "Powell is not even close to being as good as Rowan County. It's so disappointing because we played down to their level."

Morgan struggled miserably in the first half—finishing with a negative 35 yards of total offense. The Cougars did string together three plays of ten yards or more early in the third period, but failed to dent the scoreboard until a fourth quarter touchdown pass from Jarred Curd to Ryan Flannery. Purnell says his team's offensive struggles begin with the guys up front.

"At the point of attack, our guys are just not strong enough," said Purnell. "We have absolutely no blocking on the line. I don't think there's a kid on this team that can bench 250 pounds. We're just getting whipped up front."

Darren Keeton (6) and Joel Nickell (10) defend against a Powell County pass.

Hunter Fraley (21) puts a tackle on Powell County running back.

—Photos by Kent Nickell

Purnell says he'll go back to the basics in practice with aggressive one-on-one blocking drills and open field tackling. But he admits there's no quick fix for Morgan's offensive woes.

"Nobody can just throw magic dust on these kids and make them bigger and stronger," Purnell said. "I have no problem with their effort. But when you don't have the strength to get the job done, that's the problem. Honestly, it could take us a year in the weight room to get where we need to be."

Running back Ryan Flannery accounted for 57 of the Cougars' 65 yards of total offense. Flannery carried the ball nine times for 43 yards and was on the receiving end of the aforementioned 14 yard scoring pass. Hunter Fraley and Kyle Havens had 12 rushing yards apiece on a combined 15 carries. Brandon Havens had only one yard on three carries, while Curd tallied five rushes for a negative 17 yards.

"Right now, on one is going to confuse us with the '66 Packers," said the Cougar coach. "We've got to work hard and get this thing turned around."

Lady Cougars add two wins; seek 11th victory tonight

The Lady Cougars continued their winning ways last week with home-floor wins over Powell County and Fleming County.

After a lackluster start against Powell County on Sept. 2, the Morgan girls lost the first set, 21-25, then managed to eke out a 25-21 second-set win in the second and won the third, 25- 20.

Good work at the net contributed to Morgan's turn-around in the second set, highlighted by Leslie Eagle with eight kills and a block, Bri Peyton and Brim Adkins with five kills and two kills, respectively, and Kaytie Motley contributed with two blocks and a dig. Eagle and Peyton were credited with six assists each, Motley had four, Chelsea Steele, five assists, and Megan Howard and Alyssa Elam had two assists each. The defense also tightened noticeably with ten digs by Steele, eight each by Motley and Howard, and seven by Peyton. Morgan won the set, 25-21.

The Lady Cougars kept up the good work in the action-packed third set to win, 25-20.

On Sept. 4, the Lady Cougars started slow but managed to eke out a 25-21 win in the first set, before igniting to beat Fleming County with a 25-10 win in the second set.

Lady Cougar Chelsea Steele sets the ball in victory over Powell County.

Brianna Peyton completes a spike in Lady Cougars' victory over Powell County.

With most of Morgan's energy and effort on display in the second set, Eagle set the pace with six kills and two blocks, followed by Peyton with four kills and Bri Adkins and Motley, three kills each. Motley also had one block at the net. Contributing with good defense were Alyssa Elam with 10 digs, Motley nine digs, Howard seven digs, Steele and Peyton had six digs each. Four ace serves by Alyssa Elam and another by Bri Peyton also contributed to Morgan's second-set rout and the victory.

The Lady Cougars, now 10-1 on the season, will be seeking their 11th victory this evening (Sept. 11) against Lee County at Beattyville.

75 competitors make annual Cougar Tennis Classic a fun-filled success

By Tammy Clark

NOTE: A portion of this story was inadvertently left out of last week's edition. The story is reprinted below in its entirety.

The Cougar Tennis Classic was held August 23-24 at the Kiwanis Courts and was a great success. The tournament is held annually the weekend before Labor Day and benefits the Cougar Tennis Team.

This year boasted a field of 75 players ranging in age from 12 years to the upper 70s. While most of the players were Morgan Countians, almost 40 percent were visitors from surrounding counties, some from as far as Fayette, Fleming and Lawrence. This year brought in Raceland's coach, Tom Collins, from Ironton, Ohio. Collins is the personal coach to many of our high school's tennis players. The tournament managers were pleased to have so many repeat players support the tournament this year and were also pleased to draw 29 new players.

Many spectators were on hand to watch friends and family compete. Everyone enjoyed the beautiful weather and great match play. Morgan County enjoys a strong tennis community which draws many to the courts day and night.

Men's A Singles had a strong field of 12 players, several of whom play on USTA teams. In the final match, Orville Litteral (Fayette) defeated his brother, David Joe Litteral (Morgan) by a score of 6-4, 7-5.

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MCMS Cougars improve to 7-0 with three shutouts in a row

The Morgan Middle Cougars have been playing outstanding football of late, winning their last three games by a combined score of 113-0. The unlucky Cougar opponents in those three contests include: Berea, Nicholas County, and Shelby Valley.

On August 27, the Cougars took on Berea Middle. The Cougars were able to hold Berea's offense at bay, in large part, due to the kicking game. Kicker Eli Haney actually kicked the ball into Berea return men, twice. Haney not only handled the kicking, but he was the player to recover both of those loose balls. "It is debilitating for a team when you score and then get the ball right back twice like that in one game," stated a proud Coach Turner.

Statistically, several Cougar rushers shared the load as the Cougars rushed for 225 yards on 31 carries: Kody Thornsberry had 56 yards and one TD on four carries; Joe Holbrook had 43 yards on six carries with one TD and one PAT; Walker Crase had 34 yards on just three carries with a PAT; and Jordan Whitt had 49 yards on six carries with one TD. QB Larrin Collins had 22 yards rushing and completed one pass to Tyler Conley for 27 yards. The defense was paced by Kole Vanover and Eli Haney with four tackles apiece. Walker Crase had three tackles, and Jordan Whitt had two tackles and an interception.

On Sept. 4, the Cougars faced off against conference foe Nicholas County on Cougar Grandparent's Night. After all the Cougar players and cheerleaders' grandparents were recognized, the Cougars wasted no time setting the tempo for this game. Joe Holbrook ripped off 58 yards on the very first play from scrimmage for a Cougar TD. Holbrook finished with 104 yards and two TD's on just TWO carries! Then, the Cougar kicking game did it again, coming up with a fumble recovery on the kickoff was Mikey Whisman. After two strong runs by Cougar rushers, QB Larrin Collins connected with Walker Crase on a 14 yard TD strike. Other Cougars to score included: Chase Turner, Jordan Whitt, and Kody Thornsberry.

However, defense was the story of this game. LB Walker Crase paced the defense with eight tackles and a sack. Jordan Whitt had seven tackles and caused two fumbles. Eli Haney and Tyler Conley had four tackles apiece, and Austin Caudill had three very important open-field tackles. Jonathan Crouch blocked a punt and created a fumble. Brandon Gearhart also

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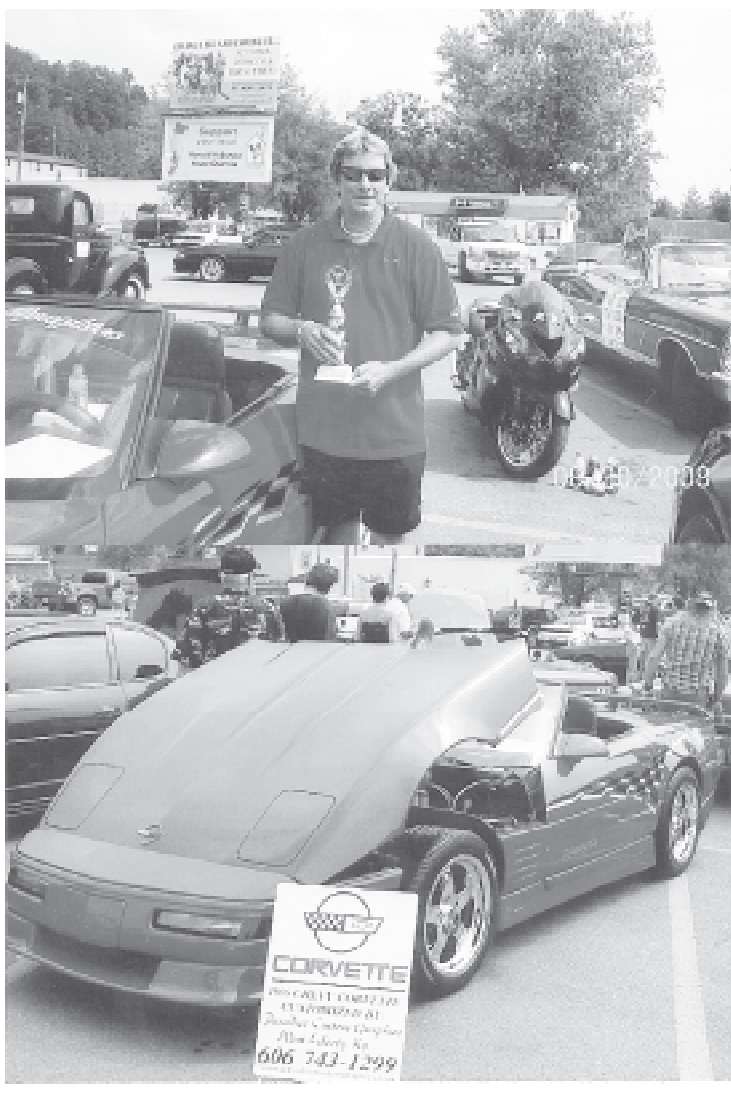

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ATHLETE OF THE WEEK

Teretha Cole

MCHS Girls' Golf Member:

This week's athlete of the week is sophomore girls' golf team member Teretha Cole. Teretha helped the Cougar golf team to its first team victory of the season by defeating Rowan County by 16 strokes. Teretha shot a team low score of 54 and got the Cougars off to a great start to the golf season. Congratulations Teretha and the Morgan County Girls' Golf team!

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PRIDE Vice President/COO Tammie Wilson, left, and Linda Rose, the Morgan County PRIDE Environmental Education Liaison, at the Sept. 3 training workshop in Somerset.

Linda Rose will be bringing PRIDE to Morgan schools

SOMERSET, Ky. — Linda Rose recently attended training for the region's PRIDE Environmental Education Liaisons. As Morgan County's liaison, she will visit local schools to lead fun, hands-on activities that will prepare students for state science tests and life-long environmental stewardship.

"I love this job because I love kids," Rose said. "I love outdoors and find beauty in many of the simple things in our environment. I would like to protect them for future generations."

Rose has been Morgan County's PRIDE Environmental Education Liaison for five years and the county's PRIDE Coordinator for 10 years. She is a certified Master Gardener, serves on the county's Extension Council, and is a member of several local education organizations.

On Sept. 3, Rose attended a training session for the liaisons hired through the PRIDE Environmental Education Outreach Program. The program increases children's environmental knowledge by providing lessons tied to Kentucky Core Content and involving students in cleanup activities. The liaisons take the program to 3rd through 5th grade classes, with an emphasis on 4th-graders who are tested on science in the state's annual CATS testing.

The program is available to the 38 counties served by PRIDE, but local leaders must pay a fee, based on student population, to enroll their schools. In Morgan County, the fiscal court paid the $5,000 fee for the upcoming school year.

Eastern Kentucky PRIDE is a nonprofit organization that promotes "Personal Responsibility In a Desirable Environment" in southern and eastern Kentucky. PRIDE works with communities to improve water quality, clean up solid waste problems and increase environmental awareness. PRIDE was founded in 1997 by Congressman Hal Rogers (KY-5) and James Bickford, former Kentucky Secretary of Environmental Protection.

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Report says 1,000 producers have completed produce safety pgm.

More than 1,000 Kentucky food producers have completed training for best practices for growing, transporting and handling produce to minimize risk of food contamination, a Kentucky Department of Agriculture report says.

More than 710 farmers' market vendors also have completed training for a state protocol to offer samples at farmers' markets, according to the 2008 Annual Farmers' Market Report.

"Kentucky producers are dedicated to providing clean, wholesome food," Agriculture Commissioner Richie Farmer said. "This tremendous level of participation in these food safety training programs should ensure farmers' market customers that they can serve Kentucky Proud foods to their families with confidence."

The Good Agricultural Practices program was launched last year by the agriculture department, the state Department for public Health and the University of Kentucky College of Agriculture. The sampling protocol was developed through a partnership of the KDA and DPH.

The farmers' market report said vendors recorded estimated sales of $8 million in 2007 in spite of a late freeze and severe drought. The number of markets in Kentucky has increased from 96 in 204 to 120 in 2008, the report said, but the number of vendors declined from 2,015 in 2007 to 1,951 this year.

The report said few Kentucky farmers' markets are set up to accept credit/debit and EBT (food stamp) cards. The Kentucky Farmers' Market Association has been awarded a $63,010 grant from the U.S. Department of Agriculture to determine the economic feasibility of using EBT and credit-debit technology at rural farmers' markets and the economic impact of the sampling protocol.

The KDA's Farmers' Market Program provides technical assistance for Kentucky farmers' markets and offers Kentucky Proud promotional items at cost. The program worked with DPH and KFMA to publish the 2008-2009 Kentucky Farmers' Market Manual, a comprehensive collection of valuable information for farmers' market managers and vendors. The program also maintains a directory of farmers' markets.

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